

Biology 3A Scoring Rubric for Scientific Posters

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Paper Section	Criteria	Possible	Score	Section Total
<b>Title</b> (5%)	Title is fully descriptive of work	2		
	Author/s names and affiliation given	1		
	Format of title and authors is correct	1		
	No spelling errors, scientific name format correct	1		
<b>Poster Presentation</b> (10%)	Poster is correct size	2		
	Type face is readable	2		
	Figures are sized appropriately	2		
	Colors are acceptable	2		
	Format is correct	2		
<b>Introduction</b> (20%)	Hypothesis /objective is clearly stated	4		
	Background coverage is adequate	4		
	Citations are present	4		
	Citation style is correct	4		
	No spelling or grammar errors present	2		
	Format is correct	2		
<b>Materials and Methods</b> (20%)	All methods are clearly stated	5		
	Research methods are appropriate to problem	5		
	This section is written in the past tense	5		
	No spelling or grammar errors present	5		
<b>Results</b> (23%)	Appropriate textual description of all data is present	3		
	All Figures and Tables are referenced	3		
	Figure and Table captions are complete	3		
	Figure and Table caption format is correct	3		
	All data are presented, and only once	3		
	Statistical analyses have been completed	4		
	Statistical analyses are appropriate, format is correct	2		
	No spelling or grammar errors present	2		
<b>Discussion</b> (22%)	Data are discussed	5		
	Conclusions are based on data presented in results section	5		
	Conclusions are clearly related to the hypothesis	5		
	Conclusions are related to cited literature	5		
	No spelling or grammar errors present	2		
			<b>Poster Total:</b>	