

## ***Animal Project Criteria***

For your animal project, you should try and include the following information in your presentation. You do not need to have all of the information, but, through your research, you should know which of the following is more important to include. Your presentation should be no less than 7 minutes and no more than 15 minutes.

### **I. Overview**

- Animal's Name
- Latin/Binomial name: genus and species.
- Location: continent(s), country(ies).
- Habitat: ocean, lake, river, forest, jungle, trees, a hole in the ground, etc

### **II. Anatomy and Personality**

- Size: height, weight, and length.
- Speed
- Type of Eater: carnivore, herbivore, omnivore, or parasite.
- Diet: what does it usually eat?
- Color(s): does it have fur, feathers, etc? what are its colors.
- What is the animal's personality like? Is it dangerous, friendly, curious, nervous, etc?

### **III. Adaptations**

- Special abilities: sight, smell, claws, speed, climbing, jumping, etc.
- How do these special abilities help the animal in its life?
- Do they use these adaptations for hunting/eating?
- Do they use these adaptations for defense/survival?

### **IV. Life and Reproduction**

- Life span: how long does it live for?
- How many babies can it have?
- How often can it have babies?
- Does it have a family?

### **V. Relationship to Humans**

- Is the animal celebrated by certain cultures?
- Famous stories about the animal?
- Do humans eat/hunt the animal?
- Is the animal endangered?
- Do humans have the animal as a pet?

### **VI. Other Useful Information**

- Through your research, you should find interesting and useful information that may not be related to the previous topics.