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Chemistry Grading Rubric

**Directions:  Research a topic related to chemistry..**

* **Examine the history and/or discovery and/or scientific breakthru of the subject**
* **Explain the chemical process to make your chosen topic**
* **Explain the uses of the product**

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| **Points Earned** | **Criteria for Evaluation Chemistry Research Paper** | **Points****Possible** |
|   | **Organization**v  The introduction clearly presents an overview of the main topic of paper. (5)v  Information is relevant and presented in a logical and understandable manner. (20)v  The conclusion clearly summarizes the main points of the paper. (5)     | 30 |
|   | **Content** |   |
|   | v  Chosen topic is fully and properly explained (30)v  History of product explained (10)v  Chemical process explained in detail (20)v  Uses of the product are explained (10)v  Analysis of the importance of the product in today’s society (10)v  Content is accurate, comprehensive and well supported (10)v  Excellent use of resources (10)  |      100 |
|   | **Format and References**v  Paper written using APA format: 12 pt. font; written in third person; level one headers and appropriate in-text citations. (2)v  Minimum 5 credible current peer-reviewed references (within the last 5 years) cited according to APA format: double spaced, 12 pt. font, hanging indent (4)v  Turn-It-In similarity index report percentage less than 24% (2)v  Paper is 3-5  pages (excluding title and reference page) with no alterations to margins, font type or size. (2)  |     10  |
|   | **Grammar Punctuation/Spelling/Style**v  Correct spelling, grammar usage and punctuation (2)v  Language is clear and precise. Sentences are complete, clear, concise and display consistently strong and varied structure (2)   |  |