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| Use of Class Time | Used time well during each class period. Focused on getting the project done. Never distracted others.  3 pts | Used time well during each class period. Usually focused on getting the project done and never distracted others.  2 pts | Used some of the time well during each class period. There was some focus on getting the project done but occasionally distracted others.  1 pt | Did not use class time to focus on the project OR often distracted others.  0 pts |
| Graphics - Originality | Several of the graphics used on the poster reflect exceptional degree of student creativity in their creation and/or display.  3 pts | One or two of the graphics used on the poster reflect student creativity in their creation and/or display.  2 pts | The graphics are made by the student, but are based on the designs or ideas of others.  1 pt | No graphics made by the student are included.  0 pts |
| Required Elements | The poster includes all required elements as well as additional information.  4 pts | All required elements are included on the poster.  3 pts | Many required elements are included on the poster.  2 pts | Missing several required elements on the poster.  1 pts |
| Content - Accuracy | At least 8 accurate facts are displayed on the poster.  5 pts | 6-7 accurate facts are displayed on the poster.  4 pts | 4-5 accurate facts are displayed on the poster.  3 pts | Less than 4 accurate facts displayed on the poster.  2 pts |
| Grammar | There are no grammatical errors on the poster.  3 pts | There are 1-2 grammatical errors on the poster.  2 pts | There are 3-4 grammatical errors on the poster.  1 pt | There are more than 4 grammatical errors on the poster.  0 pts |
| Neatness | Neatly done!  2 pts | Some issues with neatness.  1 pt | Neatness?  0 pts |  |

Items to include (Required Elements)

1. Title/Slogan
2. Names
3. Period
4. 8 Accurate Facts
   1. Climate
   2. Environment
   3. Landforms
   4. Bodies of water
   5. Minerals/Resources
   6. Sights to see/things to do
5. Student designed graphics
6. Color