**The Forest Ecosystem Project**

**DUE Friday October 26th 2018**

What your visual MUST have:

* Drawing of a forest (boreal forest, rainforest, deciduous forest, coniferous forest)
* Forest that shows the four levels
  + Emergent Layer, Canopy, Understory, Forest Floor
* Labels for each level AND a sentence of information about the layer
* MINIMUM of 3 living/non-living components in each level of the forest
  + The poster must include a ATLEAST one labelled producer, herbivore, omnivore, carnivore, and decomposer.

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| **Labels** | Labels are missing on the assignment | Two or more labels are missing and in an incorrect order | All labels present and only one out of order | All labels present and in correct order |
| **Sentence about layer** | No sentences about forest layers | Sentences are not all present and or are incorrect | A minimum of one sentence per forest level is present however errors are present | A minimum of one sentence per forest level is present and is well written |
| **Minimum of three organisms in each level** | No organisms present on the assignment | At least one organism in each level | At least two organisms in each level | All organisms in each level are present |
| **Labelled Species** | The poster was missing three or more of the following categories : Producer, Herbivore, Omnivore, Carnivore, or Decomposer | The poster was missing two of the following categories : Producer, Herbivore, Omnivore, Carnivore, or Decomposer | The poster was missing one of the following categories : Producer, Herbivore, Omnivore, Carnivore, or Decomposer | The poster had all of the required categories. |
| **Effort** | Student put zero effort into their visual assignment | Student shows minimal effort in their visual assignment | Student shoes good effort in their visual assignment | Student shows excellent effort in their visual assignment |
| **Handed in on time and with this page** | Assignment not on time OR rubric not handed in | Assignment was on time and had the rubric attached |  | |

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