**Alien Life Project – Marking Guide**



**Knowledge of Planet:**

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| **5** | **4** | **3** | **2** | **1** |
| Student demonstrates an in depth knowledge of the planet they researched. They were able to answer all questions about their alien. | Student demonstrates a good amount of knowledge of the planet they researched. They were able to answer most of the questions about their alien. | Student demonstrate some knowledge of the planet they researched. They were able to answer some of the questions about their alien. | Student demonstrates a small amount of knowledge of the planet they researched. They were unable to answer most of the questions about their alien. | Student does not demonstrate knowledge about the planet they researched. They could not answer questions about their alien. |

**Critical Thinking:**

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| **5** | **4** | **3** | **2** | **1** |
| Student is able to fully explain their decisions in the creation of their project with appropriate, accurate information.  Student addresses the Driving Question in an appropriate and very unique manner. | Student is able to explain most decisions in the creation of their project with accurate information. Student addresses the driving question in an appropriate and unique manner. | Student is somewhat able to explain some decisions in the creation of their project. Student addresses the driving question in a somewhat appropriate and unique manner. | Student is not fully able to explain most of the decisions in the creation of their project. Student does not stay focused on the driving question or is unable to address it in a very appropriate or unique manner. | Student cannot explain the decisions made in the creation of their project. Student does not address the driving question in a unique and/or appropriate manner. |