

Judging Rubric

Category	4	3	2	1
Coverage of the Topic	Details on the poster capture the important information about the topic and increase the audience's understanding.	Details on the poster include important information but the audience may need more information to understand fully.	Details on the poster relate to the topic but are too general or incomplete. The audience needs more information to understand.	Details on the poster have little or nothing to do with the main topic.
Use of Graphics	All graphics are related to the topic and make it easier to understand.	All graphics are related to the topic and most make it easier to understand.	All graphics relate to the topic.	Graphics do not relate to the topic.
Organization	Information is very organized with clear titles and subheadings	Information is organized with titles and subheadings.	Information is organized, but titles and subheadings are missing or do not help the reader understand.	The information appears to be disorganized.
Layout and Design	All information on the poster is in focus and can be easily viewed and identified	Most of the information on the poster is in focus and the content can be easily viewed and identified.	Some of the information on the poster is in focus and some of the content is easily viewed and identified	Much of the information on the poster is unclear or too small.
Mechanics	No grammatical, spelling, or punctuation errors.	Almost no grammatical, spelling, or punctuation errors.	A few grammatical, spelling, or punctuation errors.	Many grammatical, spelling, or punctuation errors.