

Plastic Paradise Project

Due on Wednesday, March 18th

Based on what you saw and heard in the documentary Plastic Paradise, you need to come up with one topic that you would like to research and share with others. You are going to further research that topic so that you can back up what was presented in the video and find more information. Some topics you can choose from are:

- Plastics and effect on invasive species
- What is BPA?
- BPA's effect on human health
- Alternatives to plastic
- Effects of plastic on ocean life
- The Plastic Man

Project Details:

Topic: _____

(you should only have 1 specific focus)

1. You need to have at least two sources for extended research not including Plastic Paradise. (you need to cite your resources in MLA format)
2. You need to turn in your Plastic Paradise notes/questions as part of your grade.
3. Using technology, you will create something that you will use to represent your topic such as; a PSA (video using movie maker), glogster (poster on-line-edu version), website (weebly or google site).
4. We will uploading the presentations on Blackboard and you will need to view them as part of the project.

	Great	Good	Needs Improvement
Topic	Chose 1 specific topic (10 pts)	Chose a topic but it was not focused (5 pts)	Did not choose a topic (0 pts)
Sources	2 sources with correct citation (10 pts)	1-2 sources not fully cited (5 pts)	No sources (0 pts)
Notes/Questions from Plastic Paradise	Took a sufficient amount of notes or answered all of the questions during the video (20 pts)	Took a small amount of notes or answered some of the questions during the video (10 pts)	Did not take notes or answer the questions during the video (0 pts)
Project	Created a well-developed, clear product that looks like honors work (40pts)	Created a product that was not well developed/ clear or does not look like honors work (20 pts)	Did not create a product that was well developed/ clear and does not look like honors work (0 pts)
Presentation	Viewed the presentations assigned and completed the assignment (20 pts)	Did not view all of the presentations assigned and did not complete the assignment (10pts)	Did not view the presentations or complete the assignment (0 pts)