

STARRY MESSENGER RUBRIC



NOTE: In order to score a "5" in the rubric category, the student will exceed the benchmarks by going beyond the standard. Students should confer with the teacher beforehand to determine what would qualify as a "5".

A. Completion

5. _____
4. Students have read the sections, answered the questions and examined the links.
3. Students have not read all the sections, answered the questions and examined the links.
2. Students have not read most of the sections, answered the questions and examined the links.
1. Students have not read the sections, answered the questions and examined the links.

B. Completion of Defense Log

5. _____
4. Students have completed a log that describes why we have day and night, movement of constellations, time, seasons, shadows and comets.

3. Students have completed a log that describes some of the information: why we have day and night, movement of constellations, time, seasons, shadows and comets.
2. Students have completed a log that describes very little of the following: why we have day and night, movement of constellations, time, seasons, shadows and comets.
1. Students have not completed a log that describes why we have day and night, movement of constellations, time, seasons, shadows and comets.

C. Appearance of Defense Log

5. _____
4. The appearance of the defense log is neat, tidy, grammatical correct and with no misspelled words.
3. The appearance of the defense log is somewhat neat and tidy, has some grammatical errors and has a few misspelled words.
2. The appearance of the defense log is not very neat and tidy, has a great deal of grammatical errors and has many misspelled words.
1. The appearance of the defense log is not neat and tidy, is grammatical incorrect and has words that are consistently misspelled.

D. Articulation of Defense Log

5. _____
4. During the defense of Galileo, the student is articulate and knowledgeable.
3. During the defense of Galileo, the student is somewhat articulate and knowledgeable.
2. During the defense of Galileo, the student is not articulate or knowledgeable.
1. The student did not provide a defense for Galileo.