Unit 3 Name:

Date:

3-4: Research Report

Write a five paragraph report about a human body system. Before it is handed in, your report should be peer edited and revised.

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| 3-4 Report Rubric |

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| Criteria | Excellent  5 | | Proficient  4 | Satisfactory  3 | Limited  2 |
| **Content /5** | * I developed *insightful* ideas to demonstrate *perceptive* understanding of the body system. * I used *precise* details. | | * I developed *thoughtful* ideas to demonstrate *reasonable* understanding of the body system. * I used *logical* details. | * I developed *appropriate* ideas to demonstrate *basic* understanding of the body system. * I used *general* details. | * I developed *limited* ideas to demonstrate *superficial* understanding of the body system. * I used *vague* details. |
| **Organization**  **/5** | * I developed *engaging* and *effective* opening, body and concluding paragraphs. * I had a *strong* focus throughout with *smooth* transitions. | | * I developed *thoughtful* and *logical* opening, body and concluding paragraphs. * I had a *methodical* focus throughout with *relevant* transitions. | * I developed *clear* and *basic* opening, body and concluding paragraphs. * I had a *general* focus throughout with *choppy* transitions. | * I *under*developed *ineffective* opening, body and concluding paragraphs. * I had a *weak* focus throughout with *ineffective* or *no* transitions. |
| **Words and Sentences /5** | * I communicated *effectively* with *precise, memorable* words and *well-varied, compelling* sentences. | | * I communicated *thoughtfully* with *reasonable, strong* words and *varied,* *methodical* sentences. | * I communicated *clearly* with *clear*, *basic* words and *varied, basic* sentences. | * I communicated *ineffectively* with *unclear, imprecise* words and *unvaried* sentences. |
| **Conventions and Presentation /5** | * I communicated *effectively* with *no* errors. * My bibliography was *accurate*. * I used *effective* media conventions to add information and interest. | | * I communicated *thoughtfully* with *few* errors. * My bibliography had *few* errors. * I used *logical* media conventions to add information and interest. | * I communicated *clearly* with *some* errors. * My bibliography had *some* errors. * I used *basic* media conventions to add information and interest. | * I communicated *effectively* with *no* errors. * My bibliography had *many* errors. * I used *ineffective* media conventions to add information and interest. |
| **Insufficient** | Your attempt to respond is *insufficient*. **Contact your teacher** to discuss suggestions for improvement. | | | | |
| **Total: /20** | | | | | |
| **Assessment** | | **Areas of Strength:** | | | |
| **Target for Improvement:** | | | |

Write a good copy of your report below.

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**Total of Section 1: /20 marks**

Section 2: Essential Question

2. Choose a body system and write a paragraph to answer the three following questions. (You may choose an alternate format such as one of the following: (comic strip, audio recording, power point, poster).

* Explain why a body system is a necessary part of the human body ( /2 marks)
* Explain how to keep that body system healthy ( /2 marks)
* Include one cause and effect relationship in your explanation ( /2 marks)

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**Total of Section 2: /6 marks**

**Overall Total: /26 marks**

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