

Rubric: Protist T-shirt Project (55 points)

Search the Plankton Portal website*. Then, computer-generate a t-shirt design (use t-shirt transfers) for the slogan on the site*. Include >5 images of phytoplankton and zooplankton on your t-shirt. Wear it to tell the class why these organisms are so important. Students may also neatly draw their protists using permanent markers.

T-shirt				
	Excellent 10 pts	Average 8 pts	Below Average 5 pts	Unacceptable 0 pts
Slogan	Excellent The slogan from the website: http://www.planktonportal.org/ is on the front of the t-shirt.	Average The slogan from the website was paraphrased, but close to the website slogan.	Below Average T-shirt contains slogan on the back, or the slogan is nothing like that on the website.	Unacceptable The T shirt is not does not have a slogan.
Images	Excellent More than five images of both zooplankton and phytoplankton are included. These were found on the plankton portal.	Average Three to five images of zooplankton and phytoplankton. Images were found on the plankton portal.	Below Average Fewer than three images of plankton are included, images are not of plankton, or they were not obtained from the plankton portal.	Unacceptable No images are on the t-shirt.
Design	Excellent The design layout on the t-shirt is attractive, and clearly communicates the importance of caring for the plankton.	Average Images are placed neatly. There is no relationship between the placement and the slogan.	Below Average Images are haphazardly placed, and lack planning and thought.	Unacceptable The student put forth no effort in design.
Effort	Excellent Student effort is evident.	Average Student showed moderate effort.	Below Average Student effort is lacking.	Unacceptable Student effort was poor.
Punctuality (50%) point value	Excellent Student t-shirt was turned in on time	Average Student t-shirt was turned in one day late.	Below Average Student t-shirt was 2-3 days late.	Unacceptable Student t-shirt was more than 4 days late.

Comments:
