

Assessment Rubric: Natural Resources

Level 4

- Assumes a creative approach in finding appropriate news reports and selecting headlines. Encourages others to participate.
- Identifies the location of all news reports on a world map.
- Appreciates the different ways Earth's resources are protected and threatened and is able to communicate that in a clear and concise manner.

Level 3

- Helps find appropriate news reports and headlines. Works independently and is focused on the task.
- Identifies the location of most news reports on a world map.
- Appreciates the different ways Earth's resources are protected and threatened but is unable to communicate those ideas in an organized fashion.

Level 2

- Requires some guidance to find appropriate news reports and headlines.
- Needs assistance to identify the location of news reports on a world map.
- Has a general understanding of the different ways Earth's resources are protected and threatened.

Level 1

- Requires one-on-one attention in order to select news reports. Does not fully understand the concept of natural resources.
- Needs considerable help to identify the location of news reports on a map.
- Has only a basic understanding of the different ways Earth's resources are protected and threatened.