**DISEASE PROJECT (Immune system) Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Final project DUE\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Description:**

This is a group project where students research a topic and create a mini-poster, video, power point or other visual project to present the information. Students will give short (2-3 min.) overview of their project and share their work (project) with the class.

**Mini-poster requirements: (40 pts)**

- 8.5x11 inches

- Disease survey on one-side

- Visual and name of disease on the other

- All material should be appropriate for school and sensitive to the subject matter

- The poster will be graded for completeness, accuracy, and creativity

- It does not have to be typed but it needs to be neat and visually attractive

**Oral presentation: (10 pts)**

- Share important and interesting information with class, this should be “scripted” not read directly from the mini-poster

- Speak clearly and loud enough for all to hear

- Be a good listener for others

***All projects must contain the following info:***

**Disease Survey**

1. Full Name of Disease:

2. What are the effects of the disease? (symptoms) (photos if possible)

3. How is the disease acquired (genetic, life style…)?

4. Describe any cures/treatments?

6. How does the disease affect the other systems?

7. History of the Disease:

• Where did it originate (if unknown – what country has the highest population with the disorder)

• When was it discovered

• What percent of the world currently has this disease

• Briefly describe current research (ie. Working towards a vaccination – treatment – testing new drugs)

8. Other useful and interesting facts.

9. Sources (at least 3):