Year 7 Science Research

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Task 2: Research summary

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**LAUNCH Cycle: Seek to Understand**

You will be given a question to research and answer. You need to prepare a one A4 page summary of your research to hand in and share with your group members. Your final page must include the following:

* Title
* Short answer to the question - summarise your research (3 mark)
* Explain answer in detail using words, pictures, and diagrams (6 marks)
* References to where you found the information (2 mark)

You will also receive marks for:

* Providing evidence of research and note taking (3 marks)
* The structure and presentation of the page (2 mark)

**Marking Key**

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| **Criteria** | **Mark** |
| **Summary** | **/3** |
| Communicates a summary of the research in a 2-3 sentences that accurately answers the research question. Only relevant and main information is included. | 3 |
| Communicates a summary of the research in a 2-3 sentences that answers the research question. Some irrelevant or inaccurate information is used. | 2 |
| Either irrelevant or inaccurate information is used to produce a basic summary of the research. | 1 |
| **Explanation** | **/6** |
| Provides detailed research findings from focus questions that support the answer to the research question. Relevant images and diagrams with captions support answer. | 5-6 |
| Provides research findings from focus questions that support the answer to the research question. Relevant images and diagrams are included but do not have captions. | 3-4 |
| Provides some information that is some-what relevant to the research question. Images or diagrams are irrelevant or not included. | 1-2 |
| **References** | **/2** |
| Provides references for two or more sources of information | 2 |
| Provides references for less than two sources of information | 1 |
| **Notes** | **/3** |
| Focus questions are relevant and help answer the research question. Notes are comprehensive and relevant. Clear connection between notes and final summary page. | 3 |
| Focus questions are used to guide research. Notes are relevant. | 1-2 |
| **Structure and presentation** | **/2** |
| Summary page has title and is a neat presentation that is appealing. | 2 |
| Presentation is lacking in structure and there is a clear evidence of time pressure. | 1 |
| **Total** | **/16** |

**Research Question:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Focus question 1:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Focus question 2:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Focus question 3:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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