

Work Session – 2/24/14

Field Ecology

Today you will have roughly ½ hour to work on the two assignments that have been collected and graded so far this semester. The two assignments are the [Water Quality Parameter Presentation](#) and the [Water Quality Project Proposal Final Draft](#). Make sure you look at the assignment sheets so you know what your work should contain.

Here is a checklist to help keep you focused while you have time to work.

- Check Pinnacle so you can see your scores on the assignments.
- The presentation should have nine slides (plus a title slide) and you will get one point for each slide that is done reasonably well. Try to finish as many as you can.
- If you have all the slides complete but didn't get full credit, go back and add details to your slides. Now that we have talked about all the parameters in class, you can use the notes on our website as a source of information.
- Make sure that both partners' names are clear on the first slide so you can both get credit for your work.
- If you missed points on the proposal, it's likely because you didn't finish one or more of the sections. Look at the assignment sheet so you know what you need to complete.
- If you did finish all of the sections of the proposal, but missed points anyway, it is because you need to add some details to one or more of the sections.
 - Start with the research paragraphs – add one or two details to each paragraph.
 - Make sure your methods are thorough and are listed in a step-by-step format.
 - Put row and column headings on your data table so it is clear what you will write in each box.
 - For your proposed analysis, try to make up some data that looks like what you think you will get. Analyze this made-up data so there is an example of how you will interpret the information.
- Send your work to dan.bregar@corvallis.k12.or.us at the end of the work time – even if you aren't done yet!
 - The subject heading for the presentation should be “per x *your names* wq pres”. Make sure BOTH partners' names show up in the subject.
 - The subject heading for the proposal should be “per x *your name* WQ final proposal”.
- Use your time well so you can bring up your grade as much as possible!