**Natural Disaster's Brochure Rubric**

* **Pick a topic relevant to what we have learned in class so far**
* **Check out** [**https://www.ready.gov/be-informed**](https://www.ready.gov/be-informed) **for information**
* **Turn in this rubric with your brochure to be graded**

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|  | Poor | Average | Excelled |
| 1. Basic Facts on Natural Disaster | 0; no information about the natural disaster is found in the project | 5; some basic information is listed, but missing a key element of the natural disaster | 10; basic facts on natural disaster is correct, is not missing any pertinent information about the natural disaster |
| Preparedness Information   1. Before 2. During 3. After | 0; no information given on how to prepare | 10; some information is given on preparing for the natural disaster, but not all key information is listed | 20; very **detailed information** on how to **prepare** for the given natural disaster including **before, during and after** |
| 1. Location of Natural Disaster | 1; no location of where natural disaster is common | 3; missing a key location of the natural disasters occurrence; Only includes one specific location. | 5; lists **all locations** where the natural disaster occurs most commonly  **Includes map** or diagram of where natural disaster is most likely to occur around the world. |
| 1. Name | 0; no names |  | 2; contains your name |
| 7. Neatness | 1; no ordering to the information, hard to read | 2; has some order to the project, project has some areas that do not flow well together | 3; project is **ordered nicely**, each section **flows** between one another |
| 8. Creativity | 0; No coloring, very plain, no thought put into the project | 1; attempted some color and pictuers; some thought put into project design | 2; has **colors and pictures**, **well** **designed** and **thought out** |
| 1. Grammar/   Punctuation/ Spelling | 2; more than 8 grammar/spelling or punctuation errors | 4; has fewer than 8 grammar/spelling or punctuation errors | 8; has less than 2 grammar/spelling or punctuation errors |
| 1. References | 0; has no references  1; has only one reference | 3; has two references for project | 5; has at **least three different references** for project  *Honors: References must be in APA or MLA format* |

Unsure how to cite your information from Ready.gov? Here’s an example for Earthquakes.

FEMA. (2013). *Earthquakes.* Ready. Department of Homeland Security. Retrieved from https://www.ready.gov/earthquakes

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