

Inquiry Project Planner Rubric

Student _____

Main Topic

Self Evaluation Teacher Evaluation

LEVEL 1	LEVEL 2	LEVEL 3	LEVEL 4
Wonderings are vague and unrelated to topic	Wondering are vague and not well related to topic	Wonderings indicate understanding and are related to topic	Wonderings are related to and indicate a high level of understanding of the topic
Big Question is very narrow – is a simple question with a short answer. Mini Questions would not be able to be made	Big Question is narrow – may be difficult to identify Mini Questions for thorough research	Big Question is open allowing for research with Mini Questions	Big Questions is very open allowing for research with many Mini Questions
Mini Questions demonstrate very little understanding of the main points of the topic	Mini Questions demonstrate some understanding of the main points of the topic	Mini Questions demonstrate a complete understanding of the main points of the topic	Mini Questions demonstrate an understanding of the main points of the topic beyond what was expected
Research choices are not clearly identified – much support is needed to identify resources	Research choices are outlined but not clearly identified – needs support to access resources	Research choices are clearly and thoroughly outlined	Research choices are clearly and thoroughly outlined and include more than expected
Jot notes demonstrate very little research – some points are just personal ideas	Jot notes demonstrate some research but are not thorough	Jot notes demonstrate thorough research	Jot notes demonstrate outstanding research – much more than what was expected