## SCIENCE LAB GRADE SHEET

Name(s): $\qquad$

|  |  |  | Possible Marks |
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| 1 | Hypothesis | Should attempt to answer the Question/Problem. Put it in an 'If -then' statement! | /2 |
| 2 | Controlled variable | At least $\mathbf{3}$ control variables required (Listing materials is not a control variable!) | /3 |
| 3 | Manipulated variable | Manipulated variable (only 1 required) <br> Hint: look at the question/problem statement to get manipulated and responding variable!! | /1 |
| 4 | Responding variable | Responding variable (only 1 required) <br> Hint: look at the question/problem statement to get manipulated and responding variable!! | /1 |
| 5 | Observations | Should include appropriate presentation of observed data (tables, diagrams, graphs or written observations) | /3 |
| 6 | Questions for Analysis | Answers are written in complete sentences. Explain why! Use your notes! | /5 |
| 7 | Validity and Reliability | Try to answer the following: <br> - Are there ways to make the experiment more precise? <br> - Are you able to repeat the lab with the procedure you used? <br> - Are there any improvements that could be done to the procedure to reduce mistakes? | /1 |
| 8 | Conclusion | Your conclusion should include: <br> 1. Re-state hypothesis <br> 2. Should state if hypothesis was accepted or rejected <br> 3. Make a summary statement based on the data | /3 |
| 9 | References | Where did you get the information to explain your analysis? <br> Google "griffith university citing tool" for help! (ex. Barker et. al. 2004. Science in Action 9. Addison Wesley Publishing. ) | /1 |
| 10 | "No Beunos" | These are marks you do not want! No buenos count as -1 mark each (up to - 5 marks), they are awarded for such things as: <br> - Missing sections (No lab title, no problem statement, not listing materials, etc.) <br> - Bad grammar or spelling (make sure to spell check) <br> - Not cleaning your lab station/conducting a messy lab <br> - Not submitting your lab in a timely manner (a day late is no problem, a week late is a no bueno) <br> - Lab write ups that are messy/crinkled/not written in the correct logical order |  |
|  | TOTAL |  | /20 |

