ASTR 1020: Final Project Info

Term Project Formats List:

Choose something that you think you can do well! These are just suggestions—feel free to ask about using a format not listed here.

- <u>Paper</u>: Write 5 full pages (not including citations or title page), double-spaced, in 12 pt font. Your goal is to inform the reader about your chosen topic, so be factual and include relevant background information. Include in-text citations.
- <u>PowerPoint Presentation</u>: Present a 5 minute recorded talk using PowerPoint (or equivalent) as a visual aid. Your goal is to inform the audience about your topic in both an engaging and factual way. Please cite your sources on your last slide, and e-mail the lab TA a copy of your slideshow.
- <u>Poster or Art Project</u>: Create a poster or other art project about your topic, using your chosen medium to convey as much information as possible. Include a picture of your artwork with a paragraph caption describing what your artwork represents, or you can provide a video of yourself presenting and describing the artwork.
- <u>Song</u>: Write and create an original song and record for the class. The lyrics should contain factual information pertaining to your topic. Have a copy of lyrics in the caption.
- <u>Children's Book</u>: Convey accurate scientific information (no made-up facts) in an engaging, clear way that a child would understand and enjoy. Tell a story! You will be graded on the accuracy of the information you include and how engagingly you convey that information.
- More?

ASTR 1020: Project Rubric

Only one value can be circled in each row. The total score will be a sum of the points awarded in each of the four categories.

	< 50%	50-70%	70-90%	90-100%
Completeness	2	3	4	5
Correctness	2	3	4	5
Creativity	2	3	4	5
Enthusiasm	2	3	4	5

Final C	Grade:	/20