

A Home for Many Evaluation Rubric

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Use a rubric, such as the sample, to evaluate students' work on The Life of a Tree student page.

Sample Rubric for A Home For Many



Level 4

Narrative includes more than 3 plants and/or animals.

Level 3

Narrative includes 3 plants and/or animals.

Level 2

Narrative includes 2 plants and/or animals.

Level 1

Narrative includes 1 plant and/or animal.

Narrative shows more than one way that each plant and animal depends on the tree and one way it affects the tree, positively or negatively.

Narrative shows one way each plant and animal depends on the tree and affects the tree.

Narrative shows one way some of the plants and animals interact with the tree, but not all the plants and animals are discussed.

Narrative shows very few ways plants and animals interact with the tree.

Narrative effectively describes the life of the tree from a sapling to its demise, after which it becomes a decaying log.

Narrative describes the life of the tree from a sapling to the point at which it is a decaying log.

Narrative describes one or more portions of the tree's life, but does not present a complete timeline from sapling to decaying log.

Narrative describes only one portion of the tree's life.

Narrative uses many descriptive details about the tree's life and the interactions of plants/animals.

Narrative uses some descriptive details.

Narrative uses a few descriptive phrases or sentences.

Narrative does not include any descriptive details.