

Bad Microorganism "Wanted" Poster

(Modified from an activity at Access Exchange)

Assignment

Make a wanted poster for one of the microorganism diseases. The poster is to be on 8.5" x 11" paper. Include the following information:

- _____ Photo (Either one you print out or one that you draw) **5 points**
- _____ The scientific name of the microorganism and an alias (another less formal name it may go by) **5 points**
- _____ Description of the disease(s) it causes **10 points**
- _____ How the organism attacks and spreads **10 points**
- _____ Who is most likely to get the disease **5 points**
- _____ How you get the disease (Eating, breathing, through touch, etc.) **5 points**
- _____ What happens to the victim **10 points**
- _____ What the symptoms are **10 points**
- _____ Is it considered armed and dangerous? (How dangerous is it?) **10 points**
- _____ How is it treated **10 points**
- _____ Any other identifying characteristics (name at least 2) **5 points each**
- _____ Correct use of grammar, punctuation, capitalization, and spelling **10 points**

Your poster should look like this (It *must be neat* and *easy* to read!):

WANTED

Name of Organism/Disease Caused

Information required above

Good Microorganism "Wanted" Poster

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Make a wanted poster for one of the good (beneficial) microorganisms. The poster is to be on 8.5" x 11" paper. Include the following information:

- _____ Photo (Either one you print out or one that you draw) **5 points**
- _____ The scientific name of the microorganism and an alias (another less formal name it may go by) **5 points**
- _____ Description of the ways it is helpful (Name at least 3 ways) **10 points each**
- _____ Where the microorganism lives **10 points**
- _____ Any other identifying characteristics (Name at least 2) **10 points each**
- _____ Other facts about the microorganism (Name at least 2) **10 points each**
- _____ Correct use of grammar, punctuation, capitalization, and spelling **10 points**

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