Plant Reproduction Mini Research Project

To open up the Ecology unit, we will be doing a variety of mini research projects and creating a Google slides presentation for each one.

In the first project, you will be researching how plants use animals and other parts of their environment to successfully transport their seeds to a location where they can survive.

This presentation should include 4 slides:

1. Title Slide (your name and the plant you selected)

2. Plant slide (information about your plant including pictures)

3. Mechanism slide (What do they use for assistance and how does it work) Video or pictures if you can find it in action.

4. Your opinion slide (What are your thoughts about this? Is it effective? Is there a better way? Are there alternative options? Do humans play a role?)

5. Bibliography

Author lastname, firstname. “article name.” website. Date. url link

EXAMPLE

Johanson, Jimmy. “Wombat huts.” University of Not a Real School. January 4, 2018.

[www.thisisnotarealsite.edu](http://www.thisisnotarealsite.edu).

The steps to completing this presentation are:

1. Select a plant (Can be any plant, but remember you are focusing on how they use environmental factors to reproduce)

2. Determine what type of assistance they receive and what mechanism they use to gain that assistance. (animal/fruit/samara/wind/fire)

3. Create your presentation

4. Identify the author for each of your facts and pictures

5. Insert the correct author name behind each fact. If all facts come from the same author, you can just put it one time at the bottom of the slide.

6. Share it with your teacher