Alternate Periodic Table Rubric

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|  | **Beginning****1** | **Developing****2** | **Accomplished****3** | **Exemplary****3.25** |
|  Research & Gather Information6 Points | Collects minimal or irrelevant information that does not relate to the topic. | Collects limited information--some relates to the topic. | Collects a reasonable amount of information - all relates to the topic. | Collects a great deal of information - all relates to the topic. |
| Written Analysis of Chosen Design6 Points | Limited review and / or few details of the Alternate design. Essay not well structured with numerous grammatical and spelling errors. | Offers a general review of the features of the Alternate design. A few grammatical / spelling errors in the essay. | Details the features of the Alternate design with evaluation and critique compared to the “Classic”. Well structured essay with proper grammatical structure | Thorough evaluation of the Alternate design, plus suggestions for further improvement. Essay displays a high standard of literary exposition. |
|  Design and Construction of Alternate Table3 Points | Design is unclear. Features are not apparent | Reasonable clarity of the design. The design features are somewhat presented | Good clarity of the design. The concept is easy to understand | High degree of clarity. The features of the design are readily apparent |
| Team Presentation of Alternate Periodic Table3 Points | Minimal presentation. Does not fully convey intent of the design  | Reasonable presentation. Requires some further explanation to understand the intent. Some comparison to “classic” design | Instructive and clear presentation. Good compare and contrast with classic design. | Very instructive presentation with additional insights to further developments. |