

## UNIT 6 PROJECTS

Earth Science  
Boswell

### Reports:

- 3-5 typed pages
- should be single-spaced
- simple bibliography attached to report (separate page)
  - books: include title, author, publisher, copyright date
  - periodicals: include title of article, title of periodical, volume/edition, date
  - internet: include main title of website and complete web address

### Presentations:

Each project will include a presentation to the class. The purpose of the presentation is two-fold: a) to share with other members of the class those points of your research that you found most interesting or intriguing, and b) to work on your individual skills in speaking to an audience. Communicating with others is a vital skill in most job fields. Knowing information is one acquired skill. Being able to transfer that information to others are very different skill and improves job relations, as well as service reputation.

Presentations should key on a few specific pieces of information from your project. Do not try to relate all your research to the class. Focus on topics that interest you most and/or that are most relevant or current. Presentations should be 2-3 minutes. All projects should have some form of visual aid. Class discussion and questions about any individuals project will be received after all projects have been presented.

Key points to remember:

- know what you are going to talk about
- plan how your visual aids will be shared with the class (ask someone to help beforehand if necessary)
- speak clearly and to your audience

**Scoring:** 50 pts available (equivalent to 2 ½ HW grades or ½ a test grade)

Each picture will be awarded 0-2 pts to a max of 20 pictures (40 pts max)

Overall variety of cloud formations will score up to 10 pts

**Due Date:** Projects may be turned in at any time; however, no projects will receive any credit if turned in after Wednesday, Sep 08, 2004.