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## Exploration Digital Story Rubric

Use the following criteria to evaluate a digital story, then use it to guide you as you develop your own digital story.

Category	Needs Improvement (1)	Satisfactory (2)	Good (3)
Planning and storyboarding	A storyboard is not included. The digital story shows little evidence of planning and/or the purpose is unclear.	A storyboard is included, but is incomplete. There is some evidence of planning in the digital story, and most parts flow together well. The purpose of the story is evident.	The storyboard includes images, text/narration, audio information, and file information. Evidence of good planning is clear in the flow of the digital story, and a clear purpose is evident.
Script	There is little cohesive text or narration. There are significant grammatical and spelling errors that hinder the understanding of the digital story.	The text and/or narration include some information about the key points of the story. There are grammatical or spelling errors, but they do not significantly hinder the understanding of the digital story.	The text and/or narration are well-written, include important information, and stick to the key points of the story. There are no grammatical or spelling errors.
Media	Few images, maps, and sounds are included. The media are not relevant to the subject of the digital story.	Some images, maps, and sounds are included. The media are relevant to the subject of the digital story but showcase only a single element of the digital story.	A variety of images, maps, and sounds are included. The media are relevant to the subject of the digital story and showcase various elements of the digital story.
Overall effect	The overall effect is disjointed. No media relate to the narration of the story, and as a result, the story is not well communicated.	The overall effect is well done. Most of the media relate to the narration of the presentation, and as a result, the purpose of the story is well communicated.	The overall effect is excellent. The media enhance the narration of the presentation, explicitly demonstrating the purpose of the story.

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