

Grading Sheet – SF Research Paper	Rubric Point	Comments
1. First paragraph introduces subject.	1 2 3 4 5	
2. Previous research in the field	5 10 15 20	
3. Interpreting research	2 4 6 8 10	
4. Quantitative (measurable) Hypothesis	2 4 6 8 10	
5. Hypothesis tied into previous experiments	2 4 6 8 10	
6. Hypothesis is bolded	1 2 3 4 5	
7. Summary of procedure/experiment	2 4 6 8 10	
8. Techniques to master	1 2 3 4 5	
9. Core science knowledge	5 10 15 20	
10. Comprehensive conclusion	2 4 6 8 10	
11. Bibliography or works cited	2 4 6 8 10	

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1. Correct font and size	1 2 3 4 5	
2. Typed in the 3 rd person: no Is or Yous	2 4 6 8 10	
3. Logical Sequence of Info	1 2 3 4 5	
4. Draws logical conclusions	1 2 3 4 5	
5. Each paragraph has a topic sentence	1 2 3 4 5	
6. Details in the paragraph help explain the topic sentence.	1 2 3 4 5	
7. The writer shows expertise	2 4 6 8 10	
8. The paper flows well and is organized	2 4 6 8 10	
9. Everything is spelled correctly!	2 4 6 8 10	
10. Included at least 3 footnotes, cited correctly	1 2 3 4 5	
Total points possible:		/185 x 2 = /370