**Research Rubric**

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| Gather, read, and synthesize information from multiple appropriate sources and assess the credibility, accuracy, and possible bias of each publication and methods used, and describe how they are supported or not supported by evidence. | Obtain and combine information from books and/or other reliable media to explain phenomena or solutions to a design problem. | Obtain information from various texts, text features (e.g., headings, tables of contents, glossaries, electronic menus, icons, and other media that will be useful in answering a scientific question or supporting a simple claim. | **Does not use multiple, reliable resources to support a claim.** |