**Oregon Trail Disease Report Scoring Rubric**

In this season, we are studying some of the hardships experienced on the Oregon Trail. In particular, each team represents one of the diseases that were common among the travellers.

For this assignment, you are asked to complete a report that describes your disease and how it affected travel on the trail. The following scoring guide will be used to assess the report.

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| ***Topic*** | ***Achievement level*** | | | | |
|  | ***Limited*** | ***Basic*** | ***Sound*** | ***High*** | ***Outstanding*** |
| ***Describing the disease***   * How do you get it? * What body parts does it affect? * What are the symptoms? * How do you die? |  |  |  |  |  |
| ***Treatment***   * What was the treatment for the disease? * How was this possible on the trail? |  |  |  |  |  |
| ***Affecting life on the trail***   * How were people on the trail (both healthy and with the disease) affected by the disease? |  |  |  |  |  |
| ***Punctuation***   * Writes sentences correctly with capitals and full stops. * Uses capitals for proper nouns * Uses apostrophes correctly * Uses hyphens or commas to separate phrases |  |  |  |  |  |
| ***Spelling***   * Spells grade appropriate words correctly * Spells high frequency words correctly * Spells difficult words correctly |  |  |  |  |  |

***Comments:***

***Total Project Score:***