## Western Hemisphere Country Report **POSTER REQUIREMENTS**

Name of country: \_\_\_\_\_

## **POSTER MUST INCLUDE:**

 _Name of country placed neatly on the poster
 <ul> <li>Flag of country</li> <li>Hand-drawn or computer printed outline (colored in by hand)</li> </ul>
 _ Information on flag
_ Picture of the country's current leader
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 _ A small paragraph about the country's government (1-2 sentences)
 <ul><li>Political map of the country (up close, just your country)</li><li>Include major cities</li></ul>
 _ A larger map of the continent or entire hemisphere with your country highlighted.
 _ 6 "fast facts" about the country
 _ Include at least 2 pictures to go along with the facts
 _ A brief timeline of major events of the country (4 – 5 events)
_ A graph comparing your country and the United States

Your completed poster is due: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Poster Rubric**

	4 Excellent	3 Good	2 Satisfactory	1 Needs Improvement
Organization	Information is very organized with clear titles and subheadings.	Information is organized with titles and subheadings.	Information is organized, but titles and subheadings are missing or do not help the reader understand.	The information appears to be disorganized.
Graphics	All graphics are neatly colored and are related to the topic and make it easier to understand.	All graphics are related to the topic, but there are too many and distract from the text.	Graphics are related to the topic, but there are too few and are not all neatly colored.	Graphics do not relate to the topic and are not neatly colored.
Accuracy	All facts in the poster are accurate.	90 – 99% of the facts in the poster are accurate.	80 – 89% of the facts in the poster are accurate.	Fewer than 80% of the facts in the poster are accurate.
Content	The poster has all of the required information and some additional information.	The poster has all of the required information.	The poster does not have all of the required information.	The poster has less than half of the required information.
Mechanics	No grammatical, spelling or punctuation errors.	Almost no grammatical, spelling or punctuation errors.	A few grammatical, spelling, or punctuation errors.	Many grammatical, spelling, or punctuation errors.

## **Total Score:**

**Overall Comments:**