

Estuary Cycling Project

As part of your midterm assessment, you are asked to be an expert about an estuary that you have chosen in class. As part of the project, instead of a regular PowerPoint, you will be asked to make a large PowerPoint poster – 36” x 48”....

You must include the following...

Location map of your estuary using Google Earth, etc... (as a figure)

Size of your estuary

Size of the watershed that drains into your estuary

Residence Time of water (flushing time) of your estuary

A diagram of the cycle that you are going to relate to your estuary (as a figure)

How your estuary was formed and when

Some key species and SAV that are part of your estuary

Human impacts on your estuary

What the future holds...

The sections on the poster should include...

An abstract

Introduction – with citations as necessary

Species – representative species

Overview of the Cycle and how it relates to your estuary with citations as necessary

Discussion - about human impact and Global Climate Change with citations as necessary

Conclusion –about the future of your estuary

Bibliography – APA or MLA is fine

Grading of the poster...

Completeness of required items 20 points

Integration of the Cycle 20 points

Design, Flow and Creativity 20 points

Proper labeling of figures, tables,
diagrams, photos, etc... 15 points

Total Maximum Score Possible 75 points