



2022 - 2023 FAIRCHILD CHALLENGE
MS Challenge 4: Nature's Dynamic Duos



Maximum points for challenge: 200 points (two entries per school)

Panel Date: _____

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS:

- Two original trading cards depicting a pair of organisms that display mutualism or commensalism and includes relevant information
- Separate written description accurately explains how the chosen organisms display mutualism or commensalism

Criteria	Max. Points	Judge 1 Initials:	Judge 2 Initials:	Judge 3 Initials:	Judge 4: Initials:
Relevance to Theme	20				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pair of trading cards depicts a pair of animals, plants and/or other organisms that display mutualism or commensalism 					
Artistry / Technique	100				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Each trading card includes a hand-rendered or digitally drawn original two-dimensional portrait of the organism • Artwork demonstrates originality, creativity, and has excellent attention to detail • Trading card is neat in format and design • Trading card is original, two-dimensional, and 8"x10", 8.5 x 11" or 16 x 20" in size 					
Written Description	50				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trading cards list neat traits and abilities of each organism and include a special ability that only activates when both cards are played together • Separate written description accurately explains the way these organisms display mutualism or commensalism • Description is clear, well-written, free from errors 					
Works Cited	10				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Include sources in MLA or APA format. 					
TOTAL	180				

Comments: _____

School:	Student(s):		
Requirements (20 points)			
Project is labeled with full school name (no acronyms please) and student(s) names	4 points _____		
Entry Form submitted with entry.	2 points _____		
Description is typed and fits on one page	6 points _____		
Trading card is two-dimensional and 8"x 10", 8.5 x 11" or 16 x 20" in size	6 points _____		
Submitted on time (late entries may not receive points)	2 points _____		
Meets Requirements (circle one): Y / N	<table border="1"><tr><td>_____</td></tr><tr><td>20 points</td></tr></table>	_____	20 points

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1. **AVERAGE: JUDGES' SCORES FROM SUBTOTALS** _____

2. **TOTAL SCORE: ADD REQUIREMENTS TO AVERAGE** _____

Award Placement: Please specify that rationale for awarding this entry.