Summative Rubric

Criteria	Basic A student who has reached the highest achievement of the Basic level should be able to do the following:	Proficient A student who has just reached the Proficient level should be able to do the following:	Advanced A student who has just reached the Advanced level should be able to do the following:
Science and Engineering Practices LO1.1 – Follow a step-by- step method to solve a problem.	With support, student follows some steps of the design process as they design, create, and test a model.	With support, student follows all steps of the design process as they design, create, and test a model.	Student independently follows the design process as they design, create, test, and revise a model.
Light LO3 – Explore objects that can be seen only if they reflect available light or if they give off their own light.	With support, student designs and builds a model of a playground that provides areas of shelter from the Sun's harmful UV rays.	Student designs and builds a model of a playground that provides areas of shelter from the Sun's harmful UV rays. With support, student explains the patterns of the Sun and recognizes the harmful effects of UV rays.	Student designs and builds a model of a playground that provides areas of shelter from the Sun's harmful UV rays. Student independently explains the patterns of the Sun and recognizes the harmful effects of UV rays.
Collaboration LO6 – Collaborate effectively on a diverse and multidisciplinary team.	Student participates most of the time and shares ideas with others. Student demonstrates flexibility in thinking and behavior some of the time.	Student fully participates and shares their ideas with their group, while valuing the contribution of team members. Student demonstrates flexibility in thinking and behavior most of the time.	Student fully participates and shares their ideas with their group, while valuing the contributions of team members. Student models and encourages others to demonstrate flexibility in thinking and behavior.
Communication LO7 – Communicate effectively for specific purposes using the appropriate platform, tool, format, or digital media.	With support, student accurately describes findings from the Problem. Student attempts to use the PLTW Launch Log to communicate their thinking.	Student accurately and effectively describes findings from the Problem. Student uses the PLTW Launch Log to communicate their thinking as directed.	Student justifies findings from the Problem with evidence-based conclusions. Student uses the PLTW Launch Log to communicate their thinking in detail.
Ethics LO8 – Practice ethical behavior in all settings.	With support, student engages in positive interactions and relationships with other children some of the time.	With support, student engages in and maintains positive interactions and relationships with other children. Student is kind and respectful when they disagree.	Student independently engages in and maintains positive interactions and relationships with other children. Student is kind and respectful when they disagree.