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Rubrics

After our last teaching tip on the topic of rubrics, faculty emailed me asking for more information regarding rubrics. This follow up shares more ideas and links to sites that you can access when time allows. Craig Mertler (Education Foundations & Inquiry at BGSU) passes along an online article that he published on the topic of “Designing Scoring Rubrics for Your Classroom.” In this article, he shares with you the details of how to create two types of rubrics: a holistic rubric and analytic rubric. You can access Craig’s article at <http://www.pareonline.net/getvn.asp?v=7&n=25>

Here are some other web sites where you can gain access to a variety of rubrics for use in the classroom:

- Dr. Barbara Frandsen of St. Edward’s University makes public a rubric for assessing individuals in a group that you might want to use or modify for your class <<http://www.stedwards.edu/cte/resources/grub.htm>>.
- Prentice Hall publishers
- (http://www.phschool.com/professional_development/assessment/rub_oral_presentation.html) shares a rubric on oral presentations that you could modify for your college class. Also, you can access another oral presentation rubric at <http://www.ncsu.edu/midlink/rub.pres.html>
- Another interesting rubric site (although many examples are for secondary school topics and subjects) with many links can be found at <http://school.discovery.com/schrockguide/assess.html>