**Endangered Animal Rubric for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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| **What am I**  **being graded on?** | **Exceeds Requirements**  **10 points** | **Good Job**  **7 Points** | **Needs Work**  **3 Points** | **Score** |
| Content:  Description of Animal | Includes full description of animal’s size, color, and it goes beyond by adding interesting facts and other information about animal description | Some but not all | Lacks information and missing key components |  |
| Content:  Habitat | Explains in detail in your own words the animal’s habitat. (Not just region of the world but specifics about what nesting, homes, and how it builds it or finds it, etc.) |  |  |  |
| Content:  Diet | Full description of its diet including adaptations that helps it gets its food and where it finds it. Include challenges to food gathering. |  |  |  |
| Content:  Threats | Explains in details in your own words the threats facing your animal. (This includes all things that can harm your animal.) |  |  |  |
| Content:  Importance | Explains in detail in your own words why this animal is important to our ecosystem.  (Think food chain also.)  What happens if this animal becomes extinct? |  |  |  |
| Content:  Animal Status | Explains in details in your own words how many animals are left and ways we can protect the animal. |  |  |  |
| Creativity | You went above and beyond!!  Included clear pictures that matched the slide.  Also included picture from Google Maps of region most are found also. |  |  |  |
| Conventions and  Overall Neatness | Capital letters and punctuation are correct.  NO empty space! Your slideshow is neatly organized. |  |  |  |
| Interesting Facts | You went above and beyond!!  You found very interesting facts! |  |  |  |
| Resources | All websites and books used are sited on resource page. |  |  |  |