

**The Special Properties of Water**  
**MIT Blossoms Project Based Learning**

**Lightning Talk: Student Reflection**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Topic of your team's presentation: \_\_\_\_\_

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Review the presentation rubrics and collaboration rubrics as you answer these questions.

**Part 1: The Project Concept and Process**

1. What do you feel were some advantages to doing a lightning talk to address a specific topic on water as opposed to lessons of water's properties followed by summative assessments such as tests or quizzes.

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2. What part of the process did you most enjoy? \_\_\_\_\_

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(why? .. optional) \_\_\_\_\_

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3. What part(s) of the process did you find difficult or most challenging? \_\_\_\_\_

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(why? .. optional) \_\_\_\_\_

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4. What ( if anything ) would you change about the process? \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Part 2: So..Why did we do this? Please give this some thought...**

1. What more did you learn or discover about water as a result of this project?  
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2. Are you left with any new questions about water as a result of doing this presentation?  
\_\_\_\_\_ If yes , then write them below.  
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**The definition of worthwhile is: *worth the time, or effort spent; of value or importance***

3. The process of preparing a lightning talk took time for the presentation to come together...  
But, do you feel that it was worthwhile? \_\_\_\_\_  
Explain \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Part 3: Team work and Collaboration.. (refer to the Collaboration Rubric. .please be honest ... not always easy).**

*"Collaboration" means to work with another person or group in order to achieve or do something*

1. How would you assess your work with others in the preparation of this presentation:

- Successfully Met Expectations
- Approached Expectations
- Did Not Meet Expectations

2. In terms of your work with others, what did you do well?

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3. What are some ways that you would improve your work with others in the future ?

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4. How satisfied are you with your team's presentation? \_\_\_\_\_

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5. What do you like best about your presentation ? \_\_\_\_\_

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6. What do you think you could have improved upon or would have done differently ? \_\_\_\_\_

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7. You don't have to answer this in writing, but are you proud of your team's work? Feel free to comment.