

COLLECTON

The primary goal of a collection is to find, collect, identify, prepare, label and display a group of items gathered by you in a particular category. The collection must be student constructed and not purchased. (FOLLOW THESE STEPS TO GET 100 points.)

LOG BOOK (35 points)

As soon as you choose your topic, start recording in a notebook everything you do on your project. **USE THIS BOOK TO RECORD EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO DO AND WHEN YOU DO IT.** It is from this rough notebook that you will make your final display board. It does not have to be perfectly neat, but readable. Follow these steps to do your collection.

- (1) Record your subject matter and why this interests you.
- (2) Make a few notes of background information and cite your reference.
- (3) Start collecting and record where and when you got the item.
- (4) Do this for each item, creating a list, making notes about anything special.
- (5) Make sure you have at least 10 items in your collection.

DISPLAY OF COLLECTION (50 points)

The display of your items should include

- (1) A title
- (2) Background information
- (3) Materials used to collect items (if any)
- (4) Where and when the items were gathered (this can be a chart)
- (5) Items with clear labels
- (6) Why you did this collection and what you learned

OVERALL APPEARANCE OF DISPLAY (15 points)

Creativity, organization, correct spelling, labeling and grammar complete a project to make it appealing and interesting for spectators.