

Name: _____

PROJECT DUE DATE: _____

A City and its Climate Brochure

Objective: Your assignment is to create a travel brochure for tourists to help decide a future visit to that city.

Requirements:

1. Brochure must fit a legal size of paper (8 ½ X 11 in) or bigger that will be folded in different sections. See me if you want to use construction paper.
2. Your information must be accurate and current. So, you must research your city to find out what to place on your brochure.
3. Your brochure has six sections when folded. Below is what you are required to have in each section.
 - a. Title Page - include your city, its latitude and longitude, a map of where your city is located and a picture of something from that city.
 - b. Tell me why you want to go there and show three fun things to see or do there. Include descriptions and pictures. It must be school appropriate.
 - c. Describe the temperature of your city throughout the year. When is the warmest, coldest? Is there a big difference in the yearly temperature range?
 - d. Describe the amount of precipitation throughout the year. When is it rainiest, driest?
 - e. Factors that influence your cities climate (such as proximity to large bodies of water or inland, mountain ranges, global wind patterns, ocean currents, latitude, etc)
 - f. Add the types of vegetation that are grown in that area due to the climate. (ex. Desert scrub, tropical plants, pine forests, etc)
4. A climograph must be included with the brochure.
5. You can use a variety of resources such as books, internet, clip art, and magazines. **Write the brochure in your own words.** I will be able to tell if you do not. The resources you used are to be listed on a separate sheet to be turned in with your project. Include on your resource sheet internet addresses, book title & copyright date, magazine title and date.

Elevation: _____ feet Latitude: _____ Longitude _____

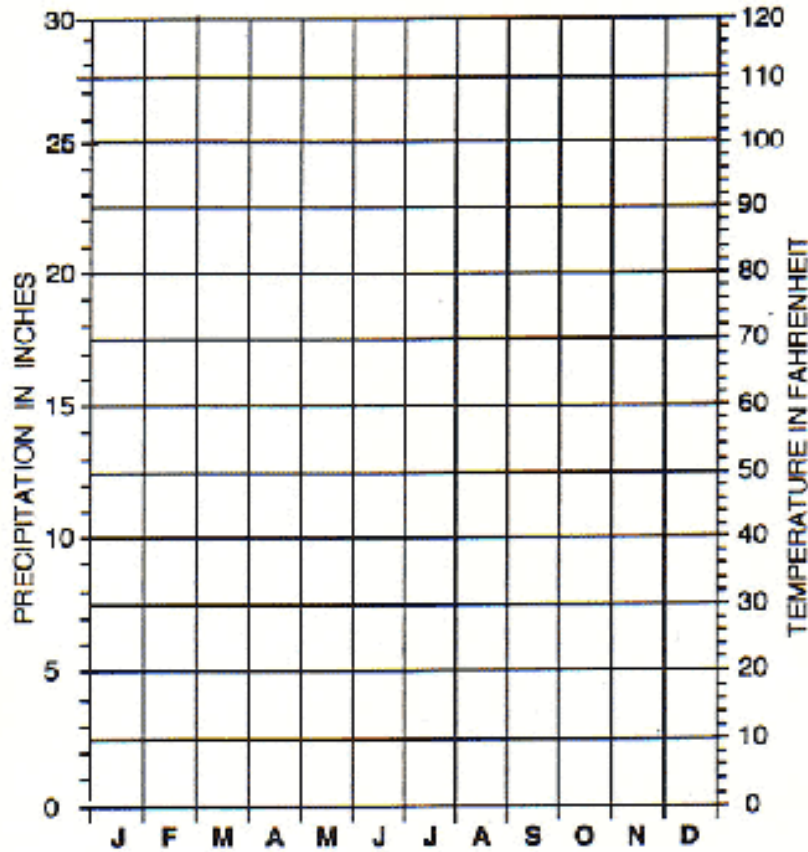
Average Monthly Temperature

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
°F												

Average Monthly Precipitation

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
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CLIMOGRAPH



CITY:

ELEVATION:

TOTAL PRECIPITATION:

Climate Brochure Rubric

Criteria	Superior (3 points)	Above Average (2 points)	Acceptable (1 point)	Below Expectations (0 points)
Cover/Title Page	Includes City, latitude and longitude, map and a picture from something in that city	Includes 3 of the required elements	Includes 2 of the required elements	Includes 1 of the required elements
Description of why you want to go there	Reason and 3 fun things to do are given with some pictures	Reason and 2 fun things to do are given with some pictures	Reason and 1 fun things to do are given with some pictures	No Reason and no things to do are given
Describe the temperature	Completely, clearly, and accurately described the topic	Sufficiently described the topic	Topic described but lack completeness, clarity and/or accuracy	Brochure does not describe or explain the topic
Amount of precipitation	Completely, clearly, and accurately described the topic	Sufficiently described the topic	Topic described but lack completeness, clarity and/or accuracy	Brochure does not describe or explain the topic
Factors that affect your city's climate	Completely, clearly, and accurately described the topic	Sufficiently described the topic	Topic described but lack completeness, clarity and/or accuracy	Brochure does not describe or explain the topic
Types of plants that grow in and near your city due to the climate	Completely, clearly, and accurately described the topic	Sufficiently described the topic	Topic described but lack completeness, clarity and/or accuracy	Brochure does not describe or explain the topic
Info is not plagiarized (do not cut and paste)	The research was carefully thought about and written in student's own words	The research was carefully thought about with some words copied from sources	The research was carefully thought about with many words copied from sources	No evidence of careful research with much of brochure copied from sources
Mechanics and Visually attractive	There are no grammatical/mechanical errors and brochure is exceptionally attractive in terms of layout, design and neatness	There are 1-2 grammatical/mechanical errors and brochure is attractive in terms of layout, design and neatness	There are 3-4 grammatical/mechanical errors and brochure is acceptably attractive in terms of layout, design and neatness	There are more than 4 grammatical/mechanical errors and brochure is messy and/or poorly designed and not very attractive
Climograph	Climograph is turned in with no errors	Climograph is turned in with 1-2 errors	Climograph is turned in with 3-4 errors	Climograph is not turned in or has 5 or more errors
Sources	2 sources are given	1 source is given	-----	0 sources are given

Total = _____ = _____ /30 = _____ %