Tracking a Purple Invasion Pamphlet Scoring Rubric

CATEGORY	4	3	2	1
	Exemplary	Acceptable	Limited	Deficient
Content - Increase in number of specimens over time	Information regarding increased number of specimens over time is included, well supported and accurate.	Information regarding increased number of specimens over time is included and somewhat supported and accurate.	Information regarding increased number of specimens over time is included but is poorly supported or contains inaccuracies.	Information regarding increased number of specimens over time is included but not supported and/or inaccurate.
Content - Spread of species over time	Increase in number of CT counties with records is presented and well supported with examples.	Increase in number of CT counties with records is presented and somewhat supported with examples.	Increase in number of CT counties with records is presented but is not supported with examples.	Increase in number of CT counties with records is incorrectly presented.
Content - Habitat of Purple Loosestrife	The habitat of Purple Loosestrife is included and supported with examples.	The habitat of Purple Loosestrife is included and supported with limited examples.	The habitat of Purple Loosestrife is included but is not supported with examples.	The habitat description is incorrectly presented.
Content - Photos	Photographs and/or sketches of the plant are included and are labeled.	Photographs and/or sketches of the plant are included but are not labeled.	Photographs and/or sketches of the plant are included but are not informative relative to the project content.	Photographs and/or sketches are included but are not relevant to the project content.
Content- Introduction of Purple Loosestrife	The pamphlet includes significant information on the introduction of Purple Loosestrife into the United States including date and location of introduction.	The pamphlet includes adequate information on the introduction of Purple Loosestrife into the United States including date and location of introduction.	The pamphlet includes minimal information on the introduction of Purple Loosestrife into the US, does not include date or location of introduction.	The pamphlet includes incorrect information on the introduction of Purple Loosestrife into the United States.
Content- Role of Purple Loosestrife in Environment	The pamphlet provides significant information on Purple Loosestrife's impact on the environment.	The pamphlet provides adequate information on Purple Loosestrife's impact on the environment.	The pamphlet provides minimal information on Purple Loosestrife's impact on the environment.	The pamphlet provides incorrect information on Purple Loosestrife's impact on the environment.
Spelling & Grammar & Neatness	The pamphlet has a professional appearance and there are no spelling, punctuation or grammatical errors.	The pamphlet has a professional appearance with minor spelling, punctuation or grammatical errors.	The pamphlet has a adequate appearance with some spelling, punctuation or grammatical errors.	The pamphlet has a poor appearance with numerous spelling, punctuation or grammatical errors.
Citations	Includes at least two sources and is in correct formatted correctly.	Includes at least two sources but is formatted incorrectly.	Only includes one source and is formatted correctly.	Only includes one source but is formatted incorrectly.