Suggested Assessment Rubric

Focus Area	Needs Improvement (1 pt.)	Proficient (2 pt.)	Mastered (3 pt.)
Technical Skill + Craftsmanship	Did not demonstrate an understanding of how to use appropriate techniques with material focus	Was able to sufficiently demonstrate craft and technical skill	Showed a particular mastery of how to manipulate and use particular media and material
Understanding Context + Making Connections	Was unable to make sufficient connections to site-specific or sociocultural contexts	Demonstrated a connection to contexts through work. Audience is able to understand how/why	Made a particularly compelling connection to site specific contexts and made interdisciplinary connections with audience and site
Innovation in Material Choice + Technique	Did not sufficiently demonstrate any innovative technique or experimentation with material choice	Was able to manipulate material in interesting way	Created a new and innovative approach to using particular media that can be used in a variety of contexts
Originality + Creative Approach	Was unable to make any original statements or develop unique approach to media/material-based project + artwork	Showed original thinking and creative approach in how they problem-solved and presented art work	Developed an original artwork that integrates creative approaches that merge disciplines, techniques and media choices throughout in new and exciting ways
Adaptive to Multiple Learning Styles + Groups	Student was not able to demonstrate how the project could be used/adapted with preferred age group	Project and approaches caters to different learning styles and age groups	Makes a unique effort to present an array of ways media/material choices and how a project can be adapted across K-12 age groups and learning styles

- **10-15 Points**: Artwork demonstrates innovative approaches to media/material choices, mastery of technical skill and integration of context and adaptive learning.
- **5-10 Points**: Artworks shows sufficient understanding of some technique and media/material choice, adaption for learning styles and contextualization.
- 0-5 Points: Artwork does not sufficiently demonstrate an innovative or creative approach to material/media transformation and technique, and does not make enough connections and space for adaptive learning.