Student Inquiry Activity- Unit 3: Life Science

Choose one of the following prompts:

* How are any two fish alike, and how are they different in behavior and physical features?
* How are fish and tadpoles alike, and how do they differ?
* What are the similarities and differences between fish and mammals?

Conduct research to answer the question you choose. Write a report that fully answers your question. Include evidence from your research in your answer. You must cite the sources you used. Your report should be at least three paragraphs.

You will be graded on the following rubric:

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| 3 points | 2 points | 1 point | 0 points |
| The report fully explains the similarities between the two topics. | The report adequately explains the similarities between the two topics. | The report partially explains the similarities between the two topics. | The report does not explain the similarities between the two topics. |
| The report fully explains the differences between the two topics. | The report adequately explains the differences between the two topics. | The report partially explains the differences between the two topics. | The report does not explain the differences between the two topics. |
| The student uses and cites 3 or more sources. | The student uses and cites 2 sources. | The student uses and cites 1 source. | The student does not cite any sources. |