

8th Grade Problem Solvers
Design You Own Board Game Rubric

	10 Points	8 Points	6 Points	4 Points	2 Points
Design & Creativity	Everything is neatly created and directions were followed completely	Game board is excellent but some part are a little sloppy.	Game board is complete but 1 or 2 elements are missing and it could be neater.	Most of the directions were ignored and the board is sloppy.	There is a game board but it is not colored and no extra efforts were made at creativity.
Directions	Directions make it perfectly clear how to play the game. They are neatly typed with minimal grammatical errors.	Directions are typed but have 2-3 minor grammatical errors. They are somewhat unclear or 1 step are missing.	There are more than 3 errors. Directions are unclear and 2-3 steps could be added to clarify.	Errors in grammar interfere with understanding of the directions. Mush revision is needed.	Complete revision needed. Many steps are missing or incomplete, and it is very difficult to understand how to play the game.
Content & Difficulty	Questions and rules of play are of an appropriate level, not too difficult and not too easy.	Rules of play are age appropriate but some questions are too easy or too difficult	The game is a bit too simple. The grade level and some questions are too easy.	The game is very simple and most of the questions are too easily answered.	The game is not appropriate for the grade level and the questions are too easy or too difficult.
Practicality	The game is very easy to set up and play in the context it was designed for.	The game is fairly easy to set up and play, but a few glitches are apparent.	The game would take a fair bit of effort to set up and play in the chosen context		The game would take considerable effort to set up and play...more effort than it's worth.
Questions	There are questions and answers. The questions are well incorporated into the game.	A couple questions or answers are missing or incorrect.	Some of the questions are missing or one could play the game with answering most of the questions.	Half of the questions are missing or the questions are hardly used in the game.	Many of the questions are incorrect or missing and very few are required to play the game.
Format & Purpose	The purpose of the games directly relates to the intent and the game board represents the theme.	The game closely relates to the purpose and the game board somewhat represents the theme.	The game partially relates to the purpose and the game board doesn't clearly represent a theme.	The purpose slightly relates to the purpose but does not represent a theme.	It is unclear what the purpose and theme of the game are from the appearance.