



The Tech Club

The first computer club for teachers!
Using Rubistar

Making Rubrics has never been easier with Rubistar!

<http://rubistar.4teachers.org/index.php>

Getting Started:

- Go to the website address shown above
- *Before you get started, you might want to check out already made rubrics. Scroll down to the area called "Find Rubrics." Do a search on the type of rubric you need and see what you get.*
- If you didn't find what you need then you have to make your own! So, click on a topic from their already made rubric templates
 - Now under your heading choose a more specific project.
- Scroll down. Under "Rubric Description", it will show you who was responsible for the creation of the rubric.
**** Sometimes they will have links to an already made rubric. Click on it to see if it is what you want and you can use it instead of making a new one. This can save a lot of time!*
- Next, Under "Rubric Information" **YOU MUST** fill in the information such as name, project's name, zip code, etc.
- Finally, they have good directions in the "Creating and Editing Your Rubric" section.



Creating and Editing Your Rubric

- Use the drop down box on the left hand side of your screen to select a category. If you don't like the category name, simply rename it in the blank white line right underneath the red arrow.
- Your boxes to the right will fill up with statements that would qualify for a 4, 3, 2, and 1. You can edit the statements by just deleting and adding and rewording what you want.
- You can also have a word rating scale. Simply delete the 4, 3, 2, and 1 and write such words as Excellent, Good, Satisfactory, or Unsatisfactory.
- When you are finished with the rubric, scroll down and click on submit. Here it will show you what it looks like so far. To make changes click on "Modify this Rubric." DO NOT CLICK ON THE BACK BUTTON!!! If you do this it will erase everything!
 - To print your rubric, scroll down and click on print.

Other Rubric Sites:

- http://www.teach-nology.com/web_tools/rubrics/
Teach-nology. Choose from already made rubrics.
- <http://www.4teachers.org/projectbased/checklist.shtml>
PBL Checklist. Customize checklists for writing, science, multimedia, and oral presentations.
- http://landmark-project.com/classweb/tools/rubric_builder.php3
Rubric Builder. Create Rubrics from scratch.