

MTH 440 Poster Rubric – Poster Session on last day of class

Draft of Poster (a reasonable approximation on regular size paper) is due Mon. 3/9 by 4:30 pm.

Poster Content:

- Topic clearly explained.
- The poster tells a story of the topic or problem (i.e., there is a logical flow to the poster and someone reading it has an idea of the what, why, and how of the story).
- Historical, mathematical, or practical significance of the topic is clearly conveyed.
- Enough details are given so that the reader could (roughly) explain your topic to a fellow student.
- Posters should be easy to read; be interesting; and have pictures, diagrams and color.
- A reasonable portion should be accessible to an average WOU non-mathematics major.

Mechanics:

- All text should be word-processed and you should use a font size of 16 points or greater.
- No more than 2/3 of the area of the poster covered by text.
- No more than 1/5 of the area is blank, meaning content-free.

Presentation:

Group members will be required to give a 2-3 concise, informative presentation on the poster accessible to a general audience. The speech should tell the what, why, and how of the story and convey the significance of the topic. The speaker should be confident and be able to answer (reasonable) questions about the topic.

		1	2	3	Weight	Pts.
Poster Sections	Evaluation Criteria	Does not meet	Partially meets	Fully meets or exceeds		
Topic	Topic is concisely and clearly presented; captures interest of the viewer				1	
Story	The poster tells a story that is easy to follow by looking at the poster.				3	
Details/Accuracy	Enough details are given to explain the topic or problem				1	
Mechanics	Mechanical requirement are met				1	
Aesthetics	Poster is nicely designed and visually appealing				2	
Presentation	Presentation is clear and informative; presenter is able to answer questions				2	
					Total	

Your total poster score will be based 40% on peer scores and 60% on instructor scores