

Algebra 1 Song Project Rubric

If you choose to create a song for one of the stars of your project, it will be graded according to this rubric.

Description	Points Allowed	Points Awarded
Math Topic: The topic is clearly stated in the title of the song and is defined in the song itself. (Ex: Different ways to find Slope) Topic: _____	20 points – topic stated in song with a definition and in song title. 10 points – topic stated without definition and in song title. 5 points – topic stated in title only.	
Examples: The topic is explained step by step and at least 2 examples of when/how to use the topic were given.	20 points – 2 examples are clearly stated and all steps are explained. 10 points – 2 examples are clearly stated with some steps missing 5 points – 1 example is stated with some steps missing 0 points – 0 examples and no steps given.	
Lyrics: A written or typed copy of the lyrics were turned in with the project. The song has at least 3 verses and one chorus. Project: _____	20 points – The lyrics are clear, organized, and make sense. 3 verses and 1 chorus. 10 points – Lyrics are unclear, parts of the song don't make sense. 1-2 verses and 1 chorus. 0 points – No lyrics turned in.	
Creativity/usefulness: Funny, well-written, and an overall good effort to make the song interesting and educational.	20 points – your song is helpful, creative, fun, and enjoyable. 10 points – your song shows some creativity and is only somewhat helpful. 0 points – your song shows a lack of creativity and isn't educational.	
Presentation: The song was turned in on time and in the correct format (mp3 or as a video), and is at least 2 min 30 seconds in length. Teacher checked: _____	20 points – song was turned in as a video or an mp3, and is at least 2:30 in length. 10 points – Song was turned in as a video or mp3 and was less than 2:30 in length 0 points – Song was turned in incorrectly and is less than 2:30 in length	
Final Grade		/100

Name:_____

Period:_____

Song Project Checklist

- ☐ Choose a topic for your song
- ☐ Choose a title for your song
- ☐ Song has 3 verses and 1 Chorus
- ☐ Song includes a definition of the topic
- ☐ Song includes at least 2 examples of when to use the topic, including step by step instructions.
- ☐ Lyrics were typed or written down.
- ☐ Song is creative
- ☐ Song is helpful and educational
- ☐ Song is at least 2 mins and 30 seconds in length.
- ☐ Song is in correct format (mp3 or a video)
- ☐ Song has been turned in correctly

Notes: