Teacher: **Ms Wood**  Group Member #1 (Leader): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**TOPIC SELECTION APPROVAL FORM**

TOPIC SELECTION # 1 / 2 / 3 (Circle one):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. WHY are YOU interested in this topic selection?
2. WHERE did this idea stem from (original idea/internet site)?
3. If not uniquely your idea, HOW did you TWEAK this project from the original to **M**ake **I**t **Y**our **O**wn?
4. In your opinion, is this a HIGH-QUALITY, GRADE-LEVEL project? Can the average 8th grader do it?
5. What will be tested (INDEPENDENT variable)?
6. What are the CONTROLLED CONDITIONS?
7. What is the DEPENDENT VARIABLE?
8. What is the CONTROL GROUP?
9. BRIEFLY DESCRIBE the overall EXPERIMENT.
10. What’s the predicted COST of this experiment? Is the cost a burden/necessary?
11. What’s the predicted TIMEFRAME of this experiment? Is there adequate time to complete this project?
12. WOULD a multimillion dollar company FUND your RESEARCH? WHY?

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\*TOPIC APPROVED ☺ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \*\*TOPIC NOT APPROVED ☹ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**\*If approved, CONGRATULATIONS!!! Begin your background RESEARCH!! \*NO EXPERIMENTATION YET!!**

\*\*If NOT approved, SORRY!!! Try again!!! Find another topic ASAP!!!