**Introduction to Biology - Major Project**

* Students will be completing a major project for this unit.
* It is to be started on May 15th and completed by Friday 7th June.
* It can be worked upon when you have completed your other class work
* there will be about 5 opportunities to work on it during the semester for the whole period
* This work will need to be presented to the class in an oral presentation
* It is a major assessment and will receive a grade.  
    
    
  **Choice 1. Design Your Own Website***Make a website about a biology topic that interests you and that you would like to find out more about.*
* *Use the internet and other resources to make notes about your topic. Begin on paper drafting out the pages and content of your website. Next google ‘free websites’ and chose a site to begin.*
* *Ask you teacher for help if needed. If you choose* [*www.weebly.com*](http://www.weebly.com) *you will have to load the images at home but the rest of the site works at school. There are quite a few ‘free websites’ available. Once you are happy with your choice begin to build the website … Good Luck! Do not publish your website. It must have at least 8 Chapters, 40 photos with explanation headings, a glossary of 25 words, links to 5 relevant websites.*  
    
  *Examples of topics:*   
  *Anatomy and systems of a Horse (or another animal)*  
  *Introduced Species*   
  *Environmental Problems in Australia  
  Plants for Landscaping*   
  *Desert plants*   
  *The Biology of an Earthworm  
  Chemistry of Life*  
  *Note: Ask your teacher for topic approval before beginning.*   
    
    
  Choice 2. Glossary of Terms  
  *Make an A3 Booklet of Biology Terminology for 100 words. For each word you are to complete the following headings:*  
    
  *\* What does word mean?*  
    
  *\* Topic (see below) the word was chosen from;*  
    
  *\* 3 Examples of usage of this word;*  
  *\* 3 Diagrams or/and Pictures to help someone understand the word.*  
    
    
  *Words can be chosen from the following topics – Cells, Animal Body Systems, Plants, Environmental Issues, Ecology, Life Cycles, Medical and Biological Engineering.*