

Written Paper Requirements

Requirements for three academic units from CSU Fresno

Course Number: NSCI 140T, Class Number: 50556

In order to receive three (3) academic units of credit, CSU Fresno requires you to complete all six days of the institute ending on Sunday, June 27, 2010 and a written paper. Your paper will discuss your field investigation and how that knowledge and experience can benefit your students.

The paper (typed) is due TWO WEEKS after the class in which you are enrolled. Below are guidelines for your paper:

1. Head your paper with your name, address, e-mail, grade level(s) taught, school, and school district.
2. Limit your paper to five pages, double-spaced. Appendices can include photos, illustrations, etc.
3. Your paper will discuss how you will use the knowledge gained from your field investigation (and other related research) in the classroom or field, and what you expect your students to learn from it. A successful paper will include:
 - The name of the topic you investigated
 - Your field investigation's relation to global climate change
 - Your hypothesis (if there was one) and whether it was confirmed
 - A description of the research and experiments your team conducted
 - Tables, graphs, etc. displaying the data you collected and your analysis of those data
 - Any changes you would make if you had more time, more resources or if you were to repeat your investigation
 - The ways in which you will incorporate your field investigation into something you can use in the classroom or field, and the benefits your students will receive

The paper is due on **Monday, July 12, 2010**. Send one copy of your completed paper to:

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