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	5	4	3	2	1
Geographical and Species Information:	Reef location correctly and clearly identified (should contain text and some illustration like a map)	Correctly located; has a visual (map)	Correct location & no visual OR visual & incorrect location	Incorrectly located and no visual	No biome location and no visual
	abiotic factors are identified	3 abiotic factors listed/described	2 abiotic factors listed/described	1 abiotic factor listed/described	No abiotic factors listed/described
	native plants are included (minimum of 2)	More than 2 plants included; both or all native	2 plants included; both native	1 or 2 plants included but one or both is not native	No plants included or none are native
	adaptations of native plants are indicated	Adaptations given for all native plants (more than 2)	Adaptations provided for both native plants listed (2)	Adaptation given for only 1 native plant	no adaptations described
	native animals are included (minimum of 3)	More than 3 animals included; all native	3 animals included; all native	2 animals included; not all native	Fewer than 2 animals included
	adaptations of the native animals are indicated	Adaptations given for all native animals (more than 3)	Adaptations provided for native animals listed (3)	adaptations described for one or both animals listed	no adaptations described
	at least 2 examples of cooperation and/or competition are provided	2 examples of cooperation and/or competition provided with description	1 example of cooperation &/or competition with no description	1 example of cooperation &/or competition with no description	No examples
Attractions:	recreational activities listed (minimum of 3)	3 recreational activities listed	2 recreational activities listed	1 recreational activity listed	No recreational activities listed
Weather Report:	average precipitation clearly indicated	Correct and clearly indicated	Correct but not clearly indicated	Incorrect but clearly indicated	No information given
	average temperature clearly indicated	Correct and clearly indicated	Correct but not clearly indicated	Incorrect but clearly indicated	No information given
	suggested supplies/gear provided (should included clothing)	Clothing, gear, & other supplies included	Addresses only 2 of the previous 3 items	Addresses only 1 of the previous items	No suggestions given
Warnings:	Threats to reef are identified/described	Adequate identification; description/discussion included	Adequate identification; little or no description or discussion	Identification unsatisfactory; no description or discussion	Threats not identified
	Endangered species are identified (can be animal, plant, or fungus)	More than 2 endangered species identified; with pictures	1 or 2 endangered species identified; with pictures	1 or 2 endangered species identified; no pictures	no endangered species identified
	Impact of possible climate change on the reef is addressed	Impact is completely addressed	Impact is adequately addressed	Impact is minimally addressed	Impact is not addressed
Analysis/Evaluation:	Global importance of the biome is explained	Explanation is reasonable and understandable	Explanation is reasonable but clearly understood	Explanation is understandable but not reasonable	Global importance not explained