

2022-2023 Samsung Solve for Tomorrow Rubric for Contest Application Online Submission

Criteria	1	2	3	4	Awarded Score
Originality & Feasibility (40%)	Project solution does not identify a clear problem that shows how the community is currently impacted. Project solution is neither original nor feasible.	Project solution vaguely mentions a problem that shows how the community is currently impacted. Project solution is partially original and/or feasible.	Project solution identifies a problem that shows how the community is currently impacted. Project solution seems original and/or feasible.	Project clearly identifies and thoroughly explains a clear problem that shows how the community is currently impacted. Project solution is clearly original and feasible.	
Solution Applies STEM (40%)	Project solution does not appear to incorporate any STEM application.	Project solution hints at STEM application, but it is not clear.	Project solution somewhat applies STEM subjects.	Project solution clearly applies STEM subjects and principles.	
Impact Community (10%)	Project solution does not have potential impact on the community – local or national.	Project solution hints at potential impact on the community – local or national.	Project solution has clear potential to have an impact on the community – local or national.	Project solution has high potential to have an impact on the community – local or national.	
Quality of Submission (10%)	Project solution does not adhere to themes and questions. Writing is poorly organized with several grammatical errors.	Project solution hints at the themes and questions, but it is not clearly indicated in the application. Writing is poorly organized with some grammatical errors.	Project solution mostly adheres to the themes and questions, indicated in the application. Writing is organized with minimal grammatical errors.	Project solution adheres to the themes and questions. Writing is well organized with little to no grammatical errors.	