

# Rubric for Stop Motion Animation

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



Level 1 - Limited ability to meet standard and limited effectiveness  
 Level 2 - Some ability demonstrated and moderately effective  
 Level 3 - Considerable ability demonstrated, considerable clarity or accuracy  
 Level 4 - Thorough, high degree of skill demonstrated, insightful, highly accurate

<b>Overall</b>
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	<b>Level 4</b>	<b>Level 3</b>	<b>Level 2</b>	<b>Level 1</b>
<b>Planning and Story Board</b>	Detailed planning and story boarding. The story board was followed closely during animation.	Animation was well planned. The story board was followed for the most part. Final Animation could have been slightly better if more detailed planning was done.	Story board provided a general idea that was not followed closely. Final Animation could have been better if more detailed planning was done.	Inadequate planning caused animation to be too short or to be confusing.
<b>Sets and Props</b>	Sets / Characters / Props are very well crafted and visually interesting. A lot of time was put into their construction and/or enhanced in Adobe Photoshop.	Sets / Characters / Props are well crafted and visually interesting.	Sets / Characters / Props are well crafted and somewhat visually interesting.	Sets / Characters / Props are not well crafted or visually interesting.
<b>Animation</b>	Animation is very smooth and the characters/objects have fairly natural movements. All frames are in focus.	Animation is smooth and there is very little distracting camera movement. Most frames are in focus.	Animation is choppy. Camera movement is a little distracting.	Animation is very choppy. Camera is unsteady and distracting.
<b>Sound and Titles / Credits</b>	Sound effects, music, and titles/credits make the animation more interesting. Music and sound effects "fit" perfectly with the animation.	Sound effects and music add to the movie experience. Titles/credits are informative.	There was probably a better choice for sound effects and music. Titles/credits were too long or distracting but were still informative.	Music and sound effects were distracting. Titles/credits were too long and distracting.
<b>Animation Length</b>	60+ seconds	45-59 seconds	30-44 seconds	29 seconds or less

**Comments**