

Category	Criteria	Achievement Continuum
Knowledge and Understanding	- label the organs of the chosen system(s) - describe the basic structure and function of major organs in this system	Limited Some Considerable Thorough 1 2 3 4
Thinking and Investigation	- use critical and creative thinking skills to design a model - ask questions and use inquiry to research	Limited Use Some Use Considerable Use Creatively Used 1 2 3 4
Communication	- use science vocabulary, labels, diagrams, captions, sub titles etc. in written communication - chooses simple and well organized layout to clearly communicate information	Limited Some Considerable Extensive 1 2 3 4
Application	- use knowledge to assess the health affects of various substances, environments and activities on this system and communicate how humans can have a positive and negative affect on their body - explain how two systems interact	Limited Use Some Use Considerable Use Creatively Used 1 2 3 4
