**Medicinal Plant Poster Assignment due:**

**Minimum Requirements:**

1. Name of plant – common name and scientific name, Very brief description – short, tall, tree, shrub, flower, fruit, fungus
2. Image of plant – Coloured Drawing
3. How do you recognize this plant (most distinguishing features). Does it resemble any other plant that it might be confused with?
4. Habitat: What type of habitat this plant normally exists in. What region in BC can it be found?
5. What is it used to treat?
6. What part of the plant is used and how is it prepared (eat raw, make a tea, chew leaves, rub on skin, make a poultice, burn leaves inhale smoke)
7. What cautions to be aware of when taking this plant. Is another part of the plant poisonous? What if you don’t cook it first? Do you need gloves to handle it? Can it be confused with a different plant?

**Extra:**

1. Interesting facts.
2. Has any extract been made into commercial use?
3. History – from what group of people (in Canada) did the knowledge of the plants healing properties come from?

* Must be concise, in your own words. (no long paragraphs).
* Nice Layout, Good use of space (Image at least ¼ of space)

Marking System:

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| Communicating | Emerging | Developing | Proficient | Extending |
| concise, neat, in your own words, one page, good use of space and colour |  |  |  |  |

Links:

<https://www.odishafdc.com/products_medicinal_plants.php>

<https://themysteriousworld.com/top-15-most-powerful-medicinal-plants/>

<http://www.thecanadianencyclopedia.ca/en/article/plants-native-use>

Circle your Plant from the list below:

Arbutus

Big Leaf Maple

Biscuit Root

Burdock

Cattails

Chamomile

Creeping juniper

Cottonwood

Devil’s Club

False Solomon’s Seal

Flea bane

Grand Fir

Hawthorn

Hellebore

Kinnikinnick (Bear Berry)

LabradorTea

Lavender

Lichen

Manitoba maple

Old Man’s Beard Lichen

Oregon Grape

Pacific Crabapple

Pacific Dogwood

Pacific Yew

Pearly Everlasting

Pineapple weed (chamomile)

Plantain

Red Alder

Red Elderberry

Red Cedar

Flowering Red Currant

Red Huckleberry

Rosehips

Sage

Salal

Saint John’s Wort

Skunk cabbage

Snow berry

Spring Gold

Stinging nettle

Thimble berry

Trembling Aspen

Valarian Root

Vanilla leaf

Wapato - Arrowhead

Willow bark

Yarrow

Yerba Buena – mint