**Word Wall Rubric**

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| **Parts to your Word** | **2 Points Each** |
| **Creativity & Neatness** | Has color (markers, colored pencils, crayons, etc.)  On printer or construction paper (not lined)  Folded hotdog style (long) |
| **Image/Drawing** | Print, sketch, or color an image that you feel best represents your word  Place image on front of your paper next to the word |
| **Scientific Definition** | Define the word using a reliable source on the inside of the paper (book, dictionary, scientific website, etc.)  Write the source in parentheses next to the definition  **For example:** *Anatomy is the branch of science that deals with the structure of body parts- their forms and how they are organized. (Hole’s Essentials of Human Anatomy & Physiology textbook)* |
| **Your OWN Definition/Thoughts** | Define the word in your own words, using your own notes or thoughts OR write a statement which helps you to remember that word  **For example:** *The word is “anatomy”. I define it in my own words saying “It is the “what” in Anatomy & Physiology”.* |
| **Example** | Give an example of the word. (If it is difficult to provide an example of the word itself or if the word is a verb, you can give an example of when it may happen.)  **For example:** *The word is “apoptosis”. I may write: “Apoptosis occurs before humans are even born, and it is responsible for giving us “unwebbed” fingers and toes. It is also responsible for the death of unnecessary neurons (brain cells), which keeps our mind free of clutter.”*  **For example:** *The word is “anatomy”. I may write: “Examples of human anatomy are toes, feet, ankles, calves, thighs, etc.”.* |

**Total Points Possible = 10 per Word**