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Engineering Design Challenge Rubric

Animal Selected					
	Australian Parrot	 Banded Snails 			
	Pink Salmon	 Marine Iguana 			
	Tawny Owls				
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Criteria	Points earned	Points possible		
Claim				
Identify the environmental problem		1		
Select a realistic trait for survival		1		
Evidence				
Research the environmental problem		1		
Use a model to show the desired trait that will be inherited (included as prop or illustration in presentation)		1		
Reasoning				
Identify why the selected trait is important to that species' survival in that environment		2		
Constraints				
Limited to one environment		1		
Limited to one species - Offspring is the same species as the parents - No hybrid animals		1		
Song Presentation				
Song includes the 4 major traits of a song (beat, melody, lyrics, hook/chorus)		4		
Presentation includes illustrations, movements, and/or costumes and props to		2		

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depict the organism's traits and how they		
inherit them		
Total points		14