Invasive Species: Most Wanted PowerPoint Assignment

Research one of the following Invasive Species:

Name: _____

Crustaceans: Rusty Crayfish, Spiny Water Flea, Bloody Red Shrimp, Fishhook Water Flea **Fish:** Common Carp, Goby, <u>Ruffe</u>, Sea Lamprey, White Perch, Rudd, Northern Snakehead **Mollusks:** Zebra Mussel

 Plants: Curly-leaf Pondweed, Eurasian Watermilfoil, Flowering Rush, <u>Purple Loosestrife</u>, Dog-Strangling Vine, Norway Maple, Common/Glossy buckthorn, European frog-bit, Garlic Mustard
Insects: Emerald Ash Borer, Asian Long-Horned Beetle



Ontario's Most Wanted PowerPoint Assignment

Your power point should include:

- 1. An introductory slide
- 2. Describe the organism- scientific name, structure, method of reproduction, native land, method of dispersal (how did it get here)
- 3. Identify the habitat and part of Ontario the organism is affecting
- 4. Describes what the organism is doing to the area (e.g. impact on native species, habitat etc.)
- 5. Describes what currently <u>is</u> being done to stop the organism (i.e. municipal, provincial and/or federal legislation protecting further introduction of species).
- 6. Describes what could be done to stop the organism
- 7. Describes what <u>could</u> happen to the ecosystem if the organism isn't stopped

You will also be marked on:

- A. Neatness, organization
- B. Creativity and uniqueness
- C. Spelling and grammar (do not copy and paste)
- D. Bibliography. Use at least 3 sources and properly written in on a separate slide

Due Date: _____