**Peeps in Spaaaaaaaaaaaaaace Project!**

**Due Date:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Assignment:**

1. **Research a famous scientist/ inventor or scientific situation (selected in class) and write a short paragraph about them and their contribution to science**

2. **Create a shoebox diorama depicting your scientist/ inventor or situation in action.**

For ideas using Peeps see: <http://www.washingtonpost.com/lifestyle/magazine/peeps>

\* Shoebox scene should include: historically accurate clothing and buildings.

 Spray paint/cover the inside of the shoebox completely so that the original box cannot be seen.

\* Attach title, name of the scientist/ inventor and caption to the front, and also include lab partner names.

\* Clever titles are preferable.

**3. List of potential diorama topics (other ideas need teacher approval). Submit topic or name before researching or creating diorama.**

Isaac Newton

Georg Simon Ohm

Benjamin Franklin

Galileo Galilei

Nicholas Copernicus

Johannes Kepler

Edwin Hubble

Neil DeGrasse Tyson

Michael Faraday

Joseph Fraunhofer

Tycho Brahe

Marie Curie

Bill Nye

Neils Bohr

Stephen Hawking

Thomas Edison

Nicola Tesla

Albert Einstein

Edmund Halley

1969 Lunar Landing

NASA control room

Yuri Gagarin

“The Martian”

“Contact”

“The Right Stuff”

“Apollo 13”

“Gravity”

“Interstellar”

“2001 Space Odyssey”

Diorama Rubric (25 points total)

10 points Quality of Construction

5 points Accuracy

8 points Caption

2 points Use of Peeps