4TH FORM PHYSICS

HEAT PROJECT

TOPIC: <u>THERMOMETERS</u>

Temperature is measured with an instrument called the thermometer. There are many different types of thermometers. Listed below are four of them:

- 1. liquid-in-glass thermometer
- 2. clinical thermometer
- 3. maximum and minimum thermometer
- 4. thermocouple thermometer

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Using all *FOUR* (4) thermometers from the list above.
- Discuss the design of **EACH** thermometer
 - include a fully labeled diagram of the thermometer
 - the temperature range of the thermometer
 - the uses of the thermometer
 - state TWO (2) advantages and TWO (2) disadvantages of the thermometer

FORMAT:

- 1. Cover Page Title of project, Name of student, Date and Form
- 2. Table of contents
- 3. Discussion on EACH thermometer. (Separate page for each thermometer)
- 4. Conclusion Discuss the following:
 - (a) Celsius Scale (include units, define ice and steam points)
 - (b) Kelvin Scale (include units and define absolute zero)
 - (c) The relationship between the Celsius and Kelvin scale given three examples
- 5. References