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Sincerely,

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Sample One-Column Rubric - Graphing

Emerging/Developing	Proficient	Extending
	<input type="checkbox"/> Labeled Axis <input type="checkbox"/> Consistent scale <input type="checkbox"/> Maximum size <input type="checkbox"/> Clear, ruled lines <input type="checkbox"/> Labeled datasets*	<input type="checkbox"/> Correct choice in line, bar, or pie graph

Note:

- Used to assess proficiency in standards (ie science skills or practices).
- Proficiency is measured on a range starting at “emerging” and then progressing to “developing”, “proficient”, and “extending”.
- See below for the proficiency scale published by the BC Ministry of Education.

	EMERGING	DEVELOPING	PROFICIENT	EXTENDING
The Provincial Proficiency Scale	The student demonstrates an initial understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.	The student demonstrates a partial understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.	The student demonstrates a complete understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.	The student demonstrates a sophisticated understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.

Sample Graphing Assignment

Graph the following data using the format (ie. line graph or bar graph) that is the most appropriate. Be sure to label and title your graph, use pencil and ruler to draw, provide a consistent scale on both the x- and y-axis, and maximize the size of your graph. If both sets of data appear on the same graph, find a way to distinguish the different data sets on the graph.

Monthly Temperatures (Average Daily High)	
Month	Temp
Jan	7
Feb	8
Mar	10
Apr	13
May	17
Jun	20
Jul	22
Aug	22
Sept	19
Oct	14
Nov	9
Dec	7

Table 1

Monthly Temperatures (Average Daily High)	
Month	Temp
Jan	26
Feb	27
Mar	24
Apr	21
May	17
Jun	15
Jul	14
Aug	16
Sept	18
Oct	20
Nov	22
Dec	24

Table 2