Research Questions

1. Name of bacterium (pathogen):
2. What does it need to thrive?
3. What are the foods/sources associated with it and possible contaminants?
4. What is the implicated illness?
5. What is the incubation period for the illness?
6. What are the symptoms associated with the illness?
7. What is the duration of the symptoms?
8. What are the steps for prevention?
9. Draw a picture or make a model of your bacterium.
10. What is your bacterium’s implication in the farm-to-table continuum? (Hint: How your bacterium can spread and how it can be prevented at each step)
    1. Farm
    2. Processing
    3. Transportation
    4. Retail
    5. Home (table)