

**Rubric - The Results section**

It is recommended that you continue to practice APA format by including a title page, running head, and page numbering. A References page is unlikely to be needed for this section.

Use the same font you selected for the *Introduction* and *Method* sections.

This is likely to be approximately a page in length.

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**Student addresses each hypothesis (there should be three).**

**For each hypothesis:**

- identify the variables
- give analysis results:  $r(df) = .##, p = .###$  **OR**  $F(df_n, df_d) = #.##, p = .###$ 
  - **If the value of  $p$**  is less than .001 use:  $p < .001$
  - **If necessary**, include  $t$ -test results as well:  $t(df) = #.##, p = .###$
- describe whether the result is statistically significant and...

If significant: *describe* the relationship (correlation) or direction of difference (ANOVA). In the case of either a correlation or an ANOVA, include the means and standard deviations.

If not significant: *describe* the lack of relationship (correlation) or fact that the means do not differ (ANOVA). Means are not necessary in this case if the analysis is a correlation. Means *are* typically given for ANOVAs even if they are not statistically significant.

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Grading Criteria	Point Range	Points Earned
<b>Content</b> (use of instructor examples as templates is acceptable)		
Results of first hypothesis analysis. Identifies variables Gives results: $r$ or $F$ AND $p$ ; and $t$ if needed Describes result, refers to means and standard deviations	0 – 14	
Results of second hypothesis analysis. Identifies variables Gives results: $r$ or $F$ AND $p$ ; and $t$ if needed Describes result, refers to means and standard deviations	0 – 14	
Results of third hypothesis analysis. Identifies variables Gives results: $r$ or $F$ AND $p$ ; and $t$ if needed Describes result, refers to means and standard deviations	0 – 14	
<b>Writing</b>		
<b>Style and Mechanics:</b> Section is clearly written. Free of grammatical, spelling and punctuation errors.	0 – 8	
<b>APA Style:</b> Formatted correctly using APA style.	0 – 10	
<b>BONUS/PENALTY (if applicable)</b> (if submitted by Friday before due date: +5%) (if submitted late: -10% per day late; no credit after three (3) days)		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>60</b>	
An explanation of the points earned, as well as where the assignment could be strengthened will be included with your grade.		