

CRIM 101 02 – Fall 2021

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Week 6 (Oct. 12–18): Introduction to Sociological Reasoning about Crime

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About the Analytical Reflections

Six (6) 600 word minimum analytical reflections are due on eLearn at the end of weeks 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, and 12 (Sunday night at 11:59pm). There are 6 reflections in total, and each reflection is worth 5% (for a total of . 25%).

Each student must complete 5 of the 6 analytical reflections; students can choose to not to complete 1 of the 6 analytical reflections OR, if they choose to complete all 6 analytical reflections, have their lowest reflection score dropped.

How to Approach the Analytical Reflections

The focus of the analytical reflections is the weekly course materials (i.e., lecture, videos, in-class activities, guest lectures, required readings), and the purpose of these reflections is to allow students to illustrate their supported understanding of and engagement with the materials each week.

Take whatever position you like in your analytical reflection. The purpose of the bi-weekly reflections is to give you an opportunity to critically assess and thoughtfully reflect on the required readings, lecture(s), and other course materials/activities each week. This means you should NOT summarize the ideas or issues and instead MUST critically engage with these materials in a supported manner. For example, consider the following -- has the course material caused you to think differently about any issue? What questions or issues are raised? What relevant questions or issues are not addressed? How do your own experiences impact how you perceive and understand these issues?

In each analytical reflection, tell me what you think about and engage critically with the assigned readings, lectures, and activities from that week. In order to illustrate you are engaged with the required readings, each of your 600 word minimum commentaries must include at least three clear, cited references (with APA 7th citations including page numbers) to the required weekly reading(s). You are also required to make clear, informed links to the in-class materials.

Assessment and General Criteria

You will be marked on how well you present your opinions and criticisms, the thoughtful and informed/supported nature of your reflections, and how well you show that you have understood the class materials (e.g., lecture, discussion, videos, activities) and read/understood all of the weekly required readings.

Do NOT use direct quotes (and I mean absolutely NO direct quotes). This does not demonstrate your understanding of the course materials. You need to work with this material in your own words and cite your sources for all paraphrased materials.

You MUST cite in-text in accordance with APA 7th for all paraphrased materials. In this class, you must also include page numbers (when available) in all of your in-text citations -- even for paraphrased materials.

Engage in university level writing, use proper paragraphs, cite your sources in-text, and follow APA 7th format; this means you need to proof your work for clarity, flow, and structure. Meet or exceed the 600 word minimum excluding references. Double-space with Times New Roman 12 pt font. Do not use headings. Do not provide a title page, but make sure your name is on your work.

You MUST cite your sources in-text and provide a complete list of references that you used (including assigned readings) in APA 7th at the end of each commentary.

While an APA 7th references page is required, references are NOT counted toward the minimum required word count.

Analytical Reflections must be submitted on through the eLearn assignment area and are not accepted via e-mail or in hard copy.

Required Content for Analytical Reflection 3: week 4–5 in-class materials/content AND all of the readings assigned for weeks 5–6.

Submission status

Submission status	No attempt
Grading status	Not graded
Due date	Sunday, 17 October 2021, 11:59 PM
Time remaining	12 hours 28 mins
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