

Grade Rubric

Content

Engages with key ideas from course material	/15
Clear argument made in relation to prompt	/20
Evidence and supporting examples clearly connected to main points	/15

Structure

Thesis clearly stated	/10
Main points support thesis	/5
Clear transitions between main points	/5

Quotations and citations

Sources are cited correctly using MLA or APA	/10
Punctuation for quotations is correct	/5
No overreliance on direct quotes	/5

Grammar and spelling

/10

TOTAL /100

- ____ Does not follow assignment
- ____ Does not meet minimum page length
- ____ Content is plagiarized
- ____ Assignment is not in essay format