

## Written Analysis Grading Rubric

CRITERIA	Outstanding	Above Average	Satisfactory	Below Average	Insufficient	No Effort
<b>1. Analysis</b>  <b>35%</b>	Throughout the <b>whole</b> work, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>evidence is organized and synthesized to reveal insightful patterns, differences, or similarities related to focus</li> </ul>	Throughout <b>most</b> of the work, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>evidence is organized and synthesized to reveal insightful patterns, differences, or similarities related to focus</li> </ul>	Throughout a <b>considerable amount</b> of the work, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>evidence is organized and synthesized to reveal insightful patterns, differences, or similarities related to focus</li> </ul>	Throughout <b>some</b> of the work, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>evidence is organized and synthesized to reveal insightful patterns, differences, or similarities related to focus</li> </ul>	Throughout <b>little to none</b> of the work, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>evidence is organized and synthesized to reveal insightful patterns, differences, or similarities related to focus</li> </ul>	No effort
<b>2. Support</b>  <b>35%</b>	Throughout the <b>whole</b> work, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>sentences in each paragraph compellingly explain the main idea</li> <li>claims are supported with detailed and persuasive examples</li> </ul>	Throughout <b>most</b> of the work, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>sentences in each paragraph compellingly explain the main idea</li> <li>claims are supported with detailed and persuasive examples</li> </ul>	Throughout a <b>considerable amount</b> of the work, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>sentences in each paragraph compellingly explain the main idea</li> <li>claims are supported with detailed and persuasive examples</li> </ul>	Throughout <b>some</b> of the work, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>sentences in each paragraph compellingly explain the main idea</li> <li>claims are supported with detailed and persuasive examples</li> </ul>	Throughout <b>little to none</b> of the work, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>sentences in each paragraph compellingly explain the main idea</li> <li>claims are supported with detailed and persuasive examples</li> </ul>	No effort
<b>3. Conclusions</b>  <b>20%</b>	States a conclusion that is a logical extrapolation from the inquiry findings	States a conclusion that is an extrapolation from the inquiry findings but needs to strengthen the logical connections	States a conclusion focused solely on the inquiry findings. The conclusion arises specifically from and responds specifically to the inquiry findings	States a general conclusion that, because it is so general, also applies beyond the scope of the inquiry findings	States an ambiguous, illogical, or unsupported conclusion from inquiry findings	No effort
<b>4. Grammar, Mechanics, and Style</b>  <b>10%</b>	Throughout the <b>whole</b> work, the text <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>is free of major errors in grammar, spelling, punctuation, and citation (where applicable)</li> <li>is clear and concise</li> <li>is effectively fitted to format and purpose</li> <li>uses language appropriate for intended audience</li> <li>demonstrates strong word choice and sentence variety</li> </ul>	Throughout <b>most</b> of the work, the text <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>is free of major errors in grammar, spelling, punctuation, and citation (where applicable)</li> <li>is clear and concise</li> <li>is effectively fitted to format and purpose</li> <li>uses language appropriate for intended audience</li> <li>demonstrates strong word choice and sentence variety</li> </ul>	Throughout a <b>considerable amount</b> of the work, the text <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>is free of major errors in grammar, spelling, punctuation, and citation (where applicable)</li> <li>is clear and concise</li> <li>is effectively fitted to format and purpose</li> <li>uses language appropriate for intended audience</li> <li>demonstrates strong word choice and sentence variety</li> </ul>	Throughout <b>some</b> of the work, the text <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>is free of major errors in grammar, spelling, punctuation, and citation (where applicable)</li> <li>is clear and concise</li> <li>is effectively fitted to format and purpose</li> <li>uses language appropriate for intended audience</li> <li>demonstrates strong word choice and sentence variety</li> </ul>	Throughout <b>little to none</b> of the work, the text <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>is free of major errors in grammar, spelling, punctuation, and citation (where applicable)</li> <li>is clear and concise</li> <li>is effectively fitted to format and purpose</li> <li>uses language appropriate for intended audience</li> <li>demonstrates strong word choice and sentence variety</li> </ul>	No effort