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Ideas & Content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Analytical thesis statement shows original thought, is clearly stated, and responds to an essential question <input type="checkbox"/> Research evidence including quotations provides adequate support throughout the paper <input type="checkbox"/> Rationale provides adequate analysis, synthesis, and induction/deduction 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Analytical thesis statement does not reflect original thought, does not respond to an essential question, and/or is not clearly stated <input type="checkbox"/> Research evidence including quotations provides inadequate support <input type="checkbox"/> Rationale does not provide adequate analysis, synthesis, and induction/deduction
Organization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Organization scheme shows planning and logical order that consistently supports the thesis statement. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Organizational scheme is not apparent, does not consistently support the thesis statement, and detracts from readability
Style	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Scholarly tone is employed, avoiding first and second person <input type="checkbox"/> Few redundancies in vocabulary are used <input type="checkbox"/> Variety of sentence structure is evident. <input type="checkbox"/> Smooth transitions move the reader along fluently. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Conversational language and tone is inappropriate to audience and purpose <input type="checkbox"/> Redundant, limited vocabulary is used <input type="checkbox"/> Repetitive, simple sentence structure is evident <input type="checkbox"/> Few or awkward transitions are used and fluency is disrupted by sentence fragments or run-on sentences
Conventions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Few errors in punctuation, spelling and standard English grammar structures are evident 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Many errors in punctuation, spelling and standard English grammar structures that seriously affect readability are evident

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Format	<p><input type="checkbox"/> All Publishing Guidelines on 8 ½ X 11 white paper are adequately addressed</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Typing/Printing (12 point Times New Roman font with quality printing) 2. Spacing (double spaced) 3. Margins (1 inch or MS Word default) 4. Title (centered below heading) 5. Page-one Heading (upper left corner) 6. Header (at top of subsequent pages) 7. Length (a minimum of four full pages, not to exceed ten pages, not counting Works Cited) 	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Some Publishing Guidelines are missing</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Typing/Printing (not 12 point Times New Roman font or without quality printing) 2. Spacing (not double spaced) 3. Margins (not 1 inch or MS Word default) 4. Title (not centered below heading) 5. Page-one Heading (not upper left corner) 6. Header (not at top of subsequent pages) 7. Length (less than four pages)
References/Documentation	<p><input type="checkbox"/> At least five reliable sources are cited (all sources must be reliable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Works Cited page follows MLA format</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> At least one primary source is found</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> All documentation follows MLA format</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Fewer than five reliable sources are cited (all sources must be reliable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Works Cited page is missing or does not follow MLA format</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No primary sources are found</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Missing, incomplete, and/or incorrect documentation is evident</p>
Citations	<p><input type="checkbox"/> A variety of parenthetical citations is included in body and follows MLA format</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No more than 20% of body is direct quotations</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> For each citation, there is a corresponding work cited entry</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Parenthetical citations are not properly used and do not follow MLA format</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> More than 20% of body is direct quotations</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> At least one in-text citation and/or at least one work cited citation does not have a corresponding entry</p>

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