

Essay Grading Sheet

Name _____

	Completed	Pts
Essay Structure (5 pts)		
Introduction	_____	
Body	_____	
Conclusion	_____	

Introduction (5 pts)		
Hook	_____	
General Statements	_____	
Thesis Statements	_____	

Thesis Statement (5 pts)		
Complete Sentence	_____	
Expresses an opinion	_____	
Expresses a statement that needs to be explained	_____	
Expresses only one idea about the topic	_____	

Body Paragraphs (15 pts)		
Topic Sentences	_____	
Unity	_____	
Sequence	_____	
Coherence	_____	
Supporting evidence	_____	
Closing statement	_____	

Conclusion (5 pts)		
Transition Signal	_____	
Thesis Statement Restated	_____	
Final Thoughts and Opinion	_____	

Grammar & Mechanics (5 pts)		
Run-together sentences	_____	
Fragments	_____	
Spelling	_____	
Punctuation	_____	
Sentence Variety	_____	

Pre-Writing (10 Pts)		
Outline	_____	
Rough Draft	_____	
Peer Review	_____	
Final Draft	_____	

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TOTAL POINTS _____

Essay Grading Sheet
Comparison/Contrast Essay

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	Completed	Pts
Essay Structure (5 pts)		
Introduction	_____	
Hook	_____	
Thesis	_____	
Body	_____	
Conclusion	_____	

Thesis Statement (5 pts)		
Complete Sentence	_____	
Expresses an opinion	_____	
Expresses a statement that needs to be explained	_____	
Expresses only one idea about the topic	_____	

Body Paragraphs (25 pts)		
Topic Sentences	_____	
Unity	_____	
Coherence	_____	
a) Transition Signals		
Comparison/contrast		
Supporting evidence	_____	
a) Three major support		
b) Minor details		

Grammar & Mechanics (10 pts)		
Run-together sentences	_____	
Sentence Variety	_____	
Spelling	_____	
Punctuation	_____	
Fragments	_____	
Verb Tense	_____	

Pre-Writing (5 Pts)		
Outline	_____	
Rough Draft	_____	
Peer Review	_____	
Final Draft	_____	
MLA Format	_____	

Tutoring Extra Points		_____

	TOTAL POINTS	_____
	GRADE	_____

Essay Grading Sheet
Argumentative

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Essay Structure (2.5 pts)	Completed	Pts
Introduction	_____	
Hook	_____	
Thesis	_____	
Body	_____	
Conclusion	_____	_____

Thesis Statement (2.5 pts)		
Complete Sentence	_____	
Explains what the essay will be about	_____	
Expresses a statement that needs to be explained	_____	
Expresses only one idea about the topic	_____	
Lists subtopics/plan of development	_____	_____

Body Paragraphs (20 pts)	Body # 1	Body # 2	Body # 3	Counter
Transition	_____	_____	_____	_____
Topic Sentences	_____	_____	_____	_____
Unity	_____	_____	_____	_____
Coherence	_____	_____	_____	_____
Internal Transition	_____	_____	_____	_____
Supporting evidence	_____	_____	_____	_____
a) Three major support	_____	_____	_____	_____
b) Minor details	_____	_____	_____	_____

Grammar & Mechanics (10 pts)		
Run-together sentences	_____	
Fragments	_____	
Spelling	_____	
Punctuation	_____	
Capitalization	_____	
Other	_____	_____

Pre-Writing (5 Pts)		
Outline	_____	
Rough Draft	_____	
Peer Review	_____	
MLA Format	_____	

Library Orientation (5 Pts)		_____
Worksheet		_____

Works Cited Page (5 Pts)		
MLA Format 3 sources		_____

Tutoring Extra Points		_____
	TOTAL POINTS	_____
	GRADE	_____