

GENERAL GRADING GUIDELINES

GRADE RANGE	A / EXPERT	B / PRACTITIONER	C / APPRENTICE	D AND BELOW / NOVICE
<p>Organization</p>	<p>Work shows clear structure</p> <p>Paragraphs and sections follow assignment outline exactly</p>	<p>Work shows some structure</p> <p>Paragraphs and sections mostly follow assignment outline</p>	<p>Work shows limited structure</p> <p>Paragraphs and sections do not follow assignment outline</p>	<p>Work shows little or no structure</p> <p>Work is not completed as outlined</p>
<p>Content</p>	<p>Assignment includes accurate details and facts to support main ideas</p> <p>Well written with evidence of editing</p> <p>Discussion is logically presented and well thought out</p>	<p>Assignment includes details and facts to support main ideas</p> <p>Mostly well written, but missing some minor points</p> <p>Discussion is logical but not thoroughly presented</p>	<p>Assignment includes limited details and facts to support the main ideas</p> <p>Missing some major points</p> <p>Discussion is lacking detail</p>	<p>Assignment does not include details or facts to support the main ideas</p> <p>Very little information provided or information is incorrect</p> <p>Discussion is incomplete or missing</p>
<p>Mechanics and Language Usage</p>	<p>Ideas are effectively communicated through careful choice of words, sound sentence structure, and sentence variety</p>	<p>Ideas are clearly communicated through word choice, sound sentence structure, and sentence variety</p> <p>Errors in mechanics don't interfere with meaning</p>	<p>Language use and errors in mechanics interfere with meaning</p>	<p>Ineffective language use and numerous errors in mechanics interfere with meaning</p>