

Posting Rubric

See attached

Note to Teachers About Posting Rubric

- This rubric is intended for both your use and the use of students as they participate in the summit.
- You may modify the rubric to best suit your needs.
- Please take a look at the section on the rubric “Rating for Participation in Discussion.”
- You will note that **you** will need to determine how many participants your students will need to interact with to receive a rating of either 4 or 3 points.
- We have left a blank in the rubric for you to fill in the number that you believe will best demonstrate a rating of a 4 or a 3 for your students. Students need to interact with 1-2 participants to receive a rating of a 2 in this category.
- All activities for the summit will require students to interact with at least 2 other students who do not attend your school. (See Guide to Student Activities.)

Example from Posting Rubric “Participation in Discussion”

4 points: Provides comments and new information in a regular and equitable manner. Interacts with a variety of participants
(Variety of participants = _____ participants)

3 points: Provides comments and some new information in a fairly regular manner. Interacts with a few selected participants
(Few participants = _____ participants)

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Rating for Mechanics of Posting

- 4 points:** Complete sentences, well organized, grammatically correct and free of spelling errors
- 3 points:** Complete sentences, well organized, but some (2 or less per paragraph) grammar and/or spelling errors
- 2 points:** Complete sentences, comprehensible, organization could be improved to present a more coherent argument or statement, has three or more grammar and/or spelling errors per paragraph
- 1 point:** Poor sentence structure inadequate organization, several grammar and/or spelling errors

Rating for Participation in Discussion

- 4 points:** Provides comments and new information in a regular and equitable manner. Interacts with a variety of participants
(Variety of participants = _____ participants)
- 3 points:** Provides comments and some new information in a fairly regular manner. Interacts with a few selected participants
(Few participants = _____ participants)
- 2 points:** Sporadically provides comments and some new information. Interacts with only one or two participants
- 1 point:** Provides minimal comments and information to other participants

Rating for Content of Posting

4 points: Revealed a solid understanding of the topic as evidenced by thoughtful responses and questions

3 points: Revealed an adequate understanding of the topic as evidenced by posts indicating superficial knowledge

2 points: Revealed a restricted understanding of the topic limited to information that could be derived from prior posts

1 point: Message was unrelated to discussion

Rating for Critical Thinking Evidenced by Posting

4 points: Offered a critical analysis of an existing posted idea or introduced a different interpretation to an existing idea

3 points: Agreed or disagreed with existing discussion and provided limited justification/explanation

2 points: Agreed or disagreed with existing discussion but provided no justification/explanation

1 points: Provided no evidence of agreement or disagreement with existing discussion