

Evolving Definitions of Freedom Paper #1 Grading Rubric

Outcome	Not Yet	Meets Standard	Exceeds Standard
<p>Plan</p> <p>Make deliberate plans, reflect, and persevere in order to achieve goals.</p>		<p>Completes all elements of assignment on time.</p> <p>Observed work sessions and planning materials demonstrate an attempt to engage all elements of the assignment process.</p> <p>___ provides evidence that you used the writing process ___ during work periods use time to plan</p>	<p>Thoroughly completes all elements of assignment on time.</p> <p>Observed work sessions and planning materials demonstrate a thorough attempt to engage all elements of the assignment process.</p> <p>___ uses the writing process to develop and improve writing. ___ during work periods consistently uses time to plan</p>
<p>CONCLUDE</p> <p>Infer meanings, analyze information and develop valid ideas based on evidence and analysis.</p>		<p>Forms conclusions that are supported by textual evidence.</p> <p>___ presents a clearly defined thesis statement ___ incorporates required amount of textual evidence</p>	<p>Form conclusions based on inferences supported by textual evidence.</p> <p>___ presents a clearly defined thesis statement ___ incorporates the required amount of evidence.</p>
<p>Discern</p> <p>View, read, and listen with focused attention to what matters.</p>		<p>Shows a basic understanding of a text(s)</p> <p>___ selects appropriate quotes to support conclusions</p>	<p>Examines the text closely, making inferences that express a sophisticated understanding of the text</p> <p>___ selects appropriate and thoughtful quotes to support conclusions</p>

<p>Be Precise: Accurately represents solutions, ideas and language.</p>		<p>Uses language, content and mechanics to represent ideas accurately. Any errors do not take away from the reading of your work.</p>	<p>Use language, content and mechanics accurately to progress ideas and meaning. You have no noticeable errors in grammar and mechanics.</p>
<p><u>Communicate</u></p> <p>Make ideas and information understood, mindful of audience, purpose, and setting.</p>		<p>Attempts to effectively communicate ideas and conclusions.</p> <p>___ Writing is clear and organized.</p> <p>___ Transitions are mostly appropriate.</p> <p>___ Sequence of ideas is logical but could be improved.</p>	<p>Effectively communicates ideas and conclusions.</p> <p>___ Writing is clear, advances and showcases the central idea.</p> <p>___ The order, structure, or presentation of information is compelling and moves the reader through the text.</p> <p>___ Paces writing effectively -spends the right amount of time on each part.</p> <p>___ Transitions are effective.</p>