



MysteryQuest 15

Evaluation Materials 2 (Rubric)

Assessing the Presentation of Conclusions

	Outstanding	Very good	Competent	Satisfactory	In-progress
Convincing conclusions	Conclusions are thoroughly supported with highly convincing evidence.	Conclusions are well supported by the evidence with only minor gaps or unaddressed issues.	Conclusions are consistent with the evidence provided but key issues are inadequately addressed.	Conclusions are offered but reasons are weak.	No clear conclusions are offered or the evidence is largely irrelevant.
Use of documentary evidence	References to documentary evidence are abundant and excellently chosen.	References to documentary evidence are abundant and generally well chosen.	Good use of documents but more are needed.	Relatively few documents are cited and these are not necessarily the most relevant.	Almost no appropriate documents are cited.
Presentation format	Excellent use of the presentation format. Is an exemplar to show others.	Uses presentation features to produce a generally clear, sequenced, and engaging presentation.	Some aspects of the presentation format are effective while other elements are confusing or distracting.	Overall effect takes away from main message.	Presentation is so confusing and cluttered that it is very difficult to understand the message.
Writing mechanics	Error-free in grammar and spelling.	An occasional minor error in grammar or spelling.	Text is generally understandable but contains numerous errors in spelling and grammar.	Errors detract from the overall effect.	The many serious errors in grammar and spelling make it very difficult to understand the presentation.