

WRITING ASSESSMENT RUBRIC	A (28-30L)	B (25-27)	C (21-24)	D (18-20)	E (<18)
Content: FOCUS	Excellent job of responding to the assigned question and more than competent command of the relevant material.	Good job of responding to the assigned question and competent command of the relevant material.	Merely sufficient job of responding to the assigned question and less than competent command of the relevant material.	Only partially responds to the topic and reflects an incompetent command of the relevant material.	Does not respond to the topic and fails to draw upon relevant materials.
Content: ORGANIZATION	Organizational structure establishes a relationship between ideas. It is unified and complete.	There is a logical progression of ideas and it is reasonably complete, although minor lapses may be present.	One or more major lapses in the logical progression of ideas are present.	There are major faults in the organizational structure and the main ideas are only marginally clear.	Ideas are presented in a random fashion. Overall structure is incomplete.
Style: VOCABULARY	Skillful use of vocabulary that is precise and purposeful.	Good use of vocabulary that is precise and purposeful.	Exhibits reasonable use of vocabulary that is precise and purposeful.	Exhibits minimal use of vocabulary that is precise and purposeful.	Lacks use of vocabulary that is precise and purposeful.
Style: FLUENCY	Skillful sentence fluency. No grammatical errors.	Good sentence fluency. If present, grammatical errors are minor.	Reasonable sentence fluency. Minor grammatical errors.	Minimal sentence fluency. Serious grammatical errors are present.	Sentence fluency is lacking. Many serious grammatical errors.