-	Poor (10 points)	Inadequate (15 points)	Acceptable (20 points)	Excellent (25 points)	Total
Content & Development	Content is incomplete. Major points are not clear. Assignment was not addressed	Content is not comprehensive and/or persuasive. Major points are addressed, but not well supported. Responses are inadequate or do not address the assignment. Content is inconsistent with regard to purpose and clarity of thought	Content is accurate and persuasive. Major points are stated. Responses are adequate and address the assignment. Content and purpose of the writing is clear.	Content is comprehensive, accurate and persuasive. Major points are stated clearly and are well supported. Responses are excellent and address assignment including course concepts. Content and purpose of the	
Organization & Structure	Organization and structures detract from the message of the writer. Paragraphs are disjointed and lack transition of thought. Paper is inadequate in length.	Structure of the paper is not easy to follow. Paragraph transitions need improvement. Conclusion is missing or if provided, does not flow from the body of the paper. Paper is inadequate in length.	Structure is mostly clear and easy to follow Paragraph transitions are present. Conclusion is the appropriate length as described for the assignment.	writing are clear. Structure of the paper is clear and easy to follow. Paragraph transitions are logical and maintain the flow of thought throughout the paper. Conclusion is logical and flows from the body of the paper. Paper is the appropriate length as described for the assignment.	
Depth of Reflection	Response is very shallow without any obvious depth of thought.	Response shows some depth of thought and reflection	Response shows a personal depth of thought and reflection.	Response is deeply thoughtful. It shows obvious personal awareness and a heightened appreciation of personal reflection.	
Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling	Paper contains numerous grammatical, punctuation, and spelling errors.	Paper contains few grammatical, punctuation and spelling errors.	Rules of grammar and punctuation are followed with minor errors that do not detract from the readability of the work.	Rules of grammar and punctuation are followed. Spelling is correct. Language is clear and precise. Sentences display strong and varied structure.	