

DEPARTMENT OF WORLD LANGUAGES

WRITING RUBRIC

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<p>FOCUS/SUPPORT Main ideas are clearly conveyed and there are sufficient relevant details to support them.</p>	<p>Main ideas are introduced but lack sufficient relevant details to support them.</p>	<p>Main ideas are unclear and much of the detail is irrelevant.</p>	<p>Main ideas are unclear and there is no detail or details are random and/or lack relevance.</p>
<p>COMPREHENSIBILITY The message is easily understood and correct vocabulary is employed.</p>	<p>The message is not clear at times and some vocabulary is not correctly used.</p>	<p>The message is not clear to a native speaker of the language and vocabulary is not correctly used. There may be interference from English.</p>	<p>The message is not comprehensible due to incorrectly employed vocabulary and too much interference from English.</p>
<p>ORGANIZATION The work is well organized. The order is logical and effective and transition words are used effectively and consistently.</p>	<p>The work is generally well organized with some use of transition words. There is a clear order.</p>	<p>The work is poorly organized and transition words are rarely used. There is not a clear order.</p>	<p>The work lacks organization and this lack of organization impedes comprehension.</p>
<p>ACCURACY There are very few grammar or structure errors. Spelling, capitalization and punctuation are generally correct.</p>	<p>There are some errors in grammar and structure but they do not impede comprehension. There are some errors in spelling, punctuation and capitalization.</p>	<p>There are significant errors in grammar and structure that impede comprehension. Frequent errors in spelling, punctuation and capitalization detract from the quality of work.</p>	<p>The many errors in grammar and structure completely impede comprehension. There is no attention to spelling, punctuation and/or capitalization.</p>
<p>EFFORT The work exceeds the minimum requirements.</p>	<p>The work fulfills the minimum requirements.</p>		<p>The work does not meet the minimum requirements.</p>

20= A+ / 97 17=B+ / 87 14=C+ / 77 11=D+ / 67 8-7=F / 50

19= A / 93 16=B / 83 13=C / 73 10=D / 63 6-0=F / 0

18=A- / 90 15=B- / 80 12=C- / 70 9=D- / 60