

ANFS ASSESSMENT WRITING RUBRIC

COURSE ID: _____

STUDENT YEAR: FR SO JR SR (please circle one)

	Excellent (A)	Good (B)	Average (C)	Needs Improvement (D)	STUDENT GRADE
Content/Ideas 30pts	Writing is confident and clearly focused. It holds the reader's attention. Relevant details enrich writing. (30pts)	(25pts)	(22pts)	Writing does not clearly communicate knowledge. Length is not adequate for development. Reader is left with questions. (20pts)	
Organization 25pts	Writing includes a strong beginning, middle, and end, with clear transitions and a focused closure. (25pts)	(21pts)	(18pts)	Writing is brief and loosely organized. Transitions and closure is weak. (16pts)	
Vocabulary/ Word Choice 25pts	Effective and engaging use of word choice. Writing is skillfully adapted to the audience. (25pts)	(21pts)	(18pts)	Language is vague or flat. Shows limited use of varied word choice. Writer's point of view shows little or vague sense of their audience. (16pts)	
Sentence Fluency 10pts	Consistent variety of sentence structure throughout. (10pts)	(8.5pts)	(7.5pts)	Presence of run-ons or fragments. There is limited variety in sentence structure. (6.5 pts)	
Conventions 10pts	Consistent agreement between parts of speech. No mechanical errors. Creative and effective spelling strategies used. (10pts)	(8.5pts)	(7.5pts)	Errors present in agreement between parts or speech and mechanics. Little evidence of spelling strategies. (6.5pts)	
Total					

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