

### Rubric for Analytical Essay

<b>Criterion</b>	<b>Insufficient (49% &amp; below) 1</b>	<b>Fair (50-64%) 2</b>	<b>Good (65-74%) 3</b>	<b>Excellent (75-84%) 4</b>	<b>Outstanding (85-100%) 5</b>
<b>Use of Evidence</b>	Provides no sources, irrelevant and insufficient.	Provides some sources, vague, not always relevant.	Provides several sources, relevant but incompletely developed.	Provides many sources, relevant and accurate.	Provides wide variety of sources, specific, relevant, accurate.
<b>Understanding</b>	Insufficient understanding.	Limited understanding.	General understanding.	Competent understanding.	Insightful understanding.
<b>Thesis</b>	Absent.	Unclear.	Present but vague.	Clear and concise.	Clear, concise, articulate.
<b>Mechanics</b>	Many errors, word usage and grammar are far below expectations.	Several errors, word usage and grammar are developing.	Some errors, word usage and grammar are acceptable.	Few errors, word usage and grammar are of high quality.	One or no errors, word usage and grammar is exemplary, one or no spelling errors.