GRADING RUBRIC FOR ASSIGNMENTS

| NAME OF STUDENT: | Grader Initials: |
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| ASSIGNMENT. | |

| CRITERIA | EXCELLENT A (96) | GOOD B (86) | ADEQUATE C (76) | POOR D (66) |
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| Attends to all questions or followed directions outlined in the assignment. | Answers all questions within assignment in an integrated manner. | Answers most (with 1 or 2 exceptions) questions within the assignment in an integrated manner. | Answers to some questions without integrating information or follows some instructions. | Fails to answer most questions effectively or clearly does not follow instructions. |
| In response to the assignment, provides a synthesis of developmental information presented in class or in readings. | Brief and accurate synthesis of correct themes/concepts presented in class or text. | Brief mention (correct and adequate) of developmental themes/ concepts. | Minimal mention (correct and adequate) of developmental themes/concepts. | No mention (or incorrect/inadequate) of overarching themes/ concepts. |
| Effective integration of developmental information. | Insightful, critical, thoughtful reflection of developmental information in responding to the assignment. | Some reflection or insight of developmental information in responding to the assignment. | Minimal reflection or insight of developmental information in responding to the assignment. | No reflection/ critical assessment of developmental information in responding to the assignment. |
| Technical features of writing (grammar, punctuation, word choice, spelling, format, organization) | Assignment is carefully written, proofread and spell checked. The product is mostly free of errors, well organized and concise. | Minimal errors are found, one or two categories are missing. For example, needs work in overall organization, but is free of errors. | Assignment is lacking in more than two categories. The product was not proofread or written carefully. | Inappropriate format, poor organization, many grammatical issues. |
| Correctly acknowledges sources. | Yes, always. | Most of the time. | Occasionally. | Never. |

Assignment receives one grade per assessment criterion. Final grade is an average of scores across all five criteria (criteria carry equal weight).

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| FINAL GRADE: | |
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