

Assessment Rubric

Writing Effectively	A1 Exceeds Criteria	B2 Meets Criteria	C3 Needs Improvement	D4 Insufficient
1. Clearly developed thesis				
2. Construction of a clear argument				
3. Understanding of writing mechanics				
Reading Intelligently	A1 Exceeds Criteria	B2 Meets Criteria	C3 Needs Improvement	D4 Insufficient
1. Comprehension of written material				
2. Critical evaluation of sources				
3. Ability to contextualize source material				
Processing Information	A1 Exceeds Criteria	B2 Meets Criteria	C3 Needs Improvement	D4 Insufficient
1. Effective analysis				
2. Integrates material in support of analysis				
3. Critical thinking				
"Doing history"	A1 Exceeds Criteria	B2 Meets Criteria	C3 Needs Improvement	D4 Insufficient
1. Understands disciplinary characteristics of history				
2. Comprehends the nature of primary sources				
3. Formulates historical questions				
Course Objectives	A1 Exceeds Criteria	B2 Meets Criteria	C3 Needs Improvement	D4 Insufficient
1. Understands chronological sweep of material covered				
2. Comprehends major themes and issues in material				
3. Identifies significance of major figures in material				