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Research Report Rubric

Rough draft due May 1/ Final draft May 16

points	Purpose	Organization	Language	Details	Grammar/Spelling
5	Focuses on a clearly stated topic and a well framed idea. Gives complete citations.	Well organized ideas with strong transitions and	Varies sentence structure and makes interesting word choices.	Provides information facts and details that support topic. Information is from multiple sources.	Neat and no typos or errors in grammar, punctuation or spelling.
4	Focuses on a clear topic and gives citations. Includes a good introduction and conclusion.	Organized in a typical 5 paragraph form and logical order.	Some sentence variety and good word choices. Few errors that do not affect understanding.	Provides information and details that support topic. Draws conclusion from information and important details.	Very few errors in grammar, punctuation and spelling.
3	Topic may be clear but focus does not remain consistent.	Organization in some parts and includes logical detail.	Awkward or overly simple sentence structure. Uses words that don't make sense or show little understanding of topic.	Explains and interprets some information. Includes unnecessary or extraneous details	Some errors in grammar, punctuation and spelling.
2	Little emphasis on a single, clear topic. Information does not support introduction or conclusion.	Disorganized and not easy to follow.	Inconsistent sentence structure. Contains incomplete thoughts that are difficult to understand.	Unclear introduction and conclusion. Underdeveloped information about topic and little understanding	Several errors in grammar, punctuation and spelling.
1	Little or no focus and no citations.	Confusing and difficult to follow. No clear organization.	Many sentence structure errors and confusing word choices.	Little to no information about topic. Details are unclear.	Messy handwriting and many errors
score					

Total (out of 25): _____

Topic matches construction project: (5 points) _____

Bibliography (out of 10 points): _____

Grade: _____ (total of 40 points)

Comments: _____

