

Criteria	Achievement Level				
	Exemplary (95%)	Outstanding (85%)	Acceptable (70%)	Needs significant improvement (60%)	missing or poorly developed (0%)
Most important historical contributions are present (40% Weighting)	38 percent Important contributions are present	34 percent Important contributions are present Some contributions are not specific to the issue at hand	28 percent Important contributions are present several contributions relation to the issue are not well described	24 percent Contributions are present Relation to issue is not clearly described	0 percent Contributions are present Relation to issue is not clearly described
number of citations within limit (10% Weighting)	10 percent 10-15 entries are provided	9 percent	7 percent somewhat fewer than 10 or more than 15 items are listed	6 percent far less than 10 or more than 15 timepoints are provided	0 percent
Broad historical perspective that addresses all aspects of the issue are included (15% Weighting)	14 percent Broad historical perspective that addresses all aspects of the issue are included	13 percent Historical perspective that addresses all aspects of the issue are included	11 percent Historical perspective that addresses many aspects of the issue are included	9 percent Broad historical perspective that addresses all aspects of the issue are missing in several timepoints	0 percent Broad historical perspective that addresses all aspects of the issue are missing or absent from most timepoints
Diversity of sources (15% Weighting)	14 percent -At least 3 sources were used to obtain information	13 percent -At least 2 sources were used to obtain information	11 percent -At least 2 sources were used to obtain information	9 percent -At least 2 sources were used to obtain information	0 percent only one source was used
Proper citation (10% Weighting)	10 percent correct citations for each point on the timeline within the text and at the end of the timeline	9 percent -they were properly cited for each point on the timeline	7 percent -they were cited but style or format needs work	6 percent -they were not properly cited for each point on the timeline	0 percent citations were missing or incorrect
Relation to other aspects of society and your major (10% Weighting)	10 percent Each timepoint provided relationships to other aspects of society and your major (discipline)	9 percent Each timepoint provided relationships to other aspects of society and your major (discipline)	7 percent Most timepoint provided relationships to other aspects of society and your major (discipline)	6 percent Some timepoint provided relationships to other aspects of society and your major (discipline)	0 percent No timepoint provided relationships to other aspects of society and your major (discipline)