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Discussion Rubric

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|  | **Levels of Achievement** | | | | |
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| **Criteria** | **Excellent** | **Competent** | **Average** | **Poor** | **Unacceptable** |
| **Context/Relevance [lick for more options](https://blackboard.umkc.edu/webapps/rubric/do/course/manageRubrics?dispatch=view&context=course&rubricId=_21278_1&course_id=_169201_1#contextMenu)** | **8 Points**  Outstanding analysis of topic and text in context | **7 Points**  Analysis was general and relevant used in context | **5 Points**  Analysis not fully relevant or out of context | **2 Points**  Analysis marginally relevant and/or did not show any evidence of analysis of text | **0 Points**  No analysis apparent or did not post as required. |
| **Full Sentences/Proper citation Grammar [lick for more options](https://blackboard.umkc.edu/webapps/rubric/do/course/manageRubrics?dispatch=view&context=course&rubricId=_21278_1&course_id=_169201_1#contextMenu)** | **1 Points**  Used proper grammar spelling and sentence structure | **0.75 Points**  Some mistakes in grammar, spelling, and punctuation. Did not proofread | **0.5 Points**  Consistent errors throughout | **0 Points**  Multiple mistakes difficult to read. | **0 Points**  Substandard writing, spelling and grammar. Or did not post as required. |
| **Discussed another student's post [lick for more options](https://blackboard.umkc.edu/webapps/rubric/do/course/manageRubrics?dispatch=view&context=course&rubricId=_21278_1&course_id=_169201_1#contextMenu)** | **6 Points**  Fully interacted with other students' post with commentary | **5 Points**  Addressed another post but did not fully comment. | **4 Points**  Generally addressed students' posts but offered no commentary | **3 Points**  Marginal commentary on another student's post. | **0 Points**  No responses to another student's post. |
| **Articulated Argument [lick for more options](https://blackboard.umkc.edu/webapps/rubric/do/course/manageRubrics?dispatch=view&context=course&rubricId=_21278_1&course_id=_169201_1#contextMenu)** | **8 Points**  All supporting documentation clearly articulated. | **7 Points**  Points generally articulated | **5 Points**  Points generally articulated | **2 Points**  Not clearly articulated and difficult to follow. | **0 Points**  No discernible points or did not post as required. |
| **Organization [lick for more options](https://blackboard.umkc.edu/webapps/rubric/do/course/manageRubrics?dispatch=view&context=course&rubricId=_21278_1&course_id=_169201_1#contextMenu)** | **2 Points**  Demonstrated outstanding presentation and follow-up | **1 Points**  Organization is evident but needs polishing in some areas. | **0.5 Points**  Organization is detectable but lack of transitions noted | **0.25 Points**  Needs to develop organization skills in future posts. | **0 Points**  No evident organization to post. |