

English 189 Assessment Rubric

Assessment of paragraph's awareness of topic and audience

Assessment Category	Non-Responsive, Off Topic or Plagiarized (1)	Very Weak (2)	Weak (3)	Adequate (4)	Strong (5)	Superior (6)
Understands topic and audience						

Assessment of paragraph's organization and development

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Understanding of Paragraph Structure (such as topic sentences and transitions, and overall coherence)						
Development (including application of appropriate reasons, examples, and details)						

Assessment of paragraph's use of grammatically correct English

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Understanding of the English sentence (Run Ons)							Number of run on sentences
Understanding of the English sentence (Fragments)							Number of fragment sentences
Understanding of the English sentence (Verbs)							Number of verb errors
Understanding of the English sentence (Diction)							

Are there any additional grammar errors, diction errors, or mechanics errors which impacted the numerical score you assigned this paragraph for grammar? Explain: