

Discussion Forum Rubric

| Criteria | 2 Points | 1 Point | 0.5 Points | 0 Points |
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| Content Quality | Initial post presents a clear point of view or argument, supported with adequate organization, detail, and understanding. | Initial post presents an idea but lacks clarity, organization, or sufficient detail; shows partial understanding. | | Initial post is missing, unclear, or shows minimal effort or understanding. |
| Engagement | | Response post is relevant, thoughtful, and adds value with clear explanations or further insight. | Response post is somewhat relevant but lacks detail or meaningful contribution. | No response post submitted. |
| Accuracy | | Both posts meet or exceed the minimum word count and include appropriate references or citations when required. | One or both posts fall short of the word count or lack proper references or citations. | Posts are significantly under the word count and/or are missing required references or citations. |
| Timeliness | | Submits both the initial posts and the response post by the deadline. | Submits either the initial post or the response post late. | Submits both posts late or fails to submit one or both posts. |
| Total Points: | _____ / 5 | | | |