

Comparative Paragraph Editing Rubric (Scoring sheet)

Put a check mark next to each criteria that the paragraph you read meets and then tally the score.

- 1) Has two formal paragraphs that address both sides. []
- 2) One paragraph has the following:
 - a) topic sentence that outlines both sides and purpose of paragraph []
 - b) elaboration on 2nd choice []
 - c) claim/opinion []
 - d) proof from article/video []
 - e) explanation of relevancy []
 - d) repeats steps c – e []
 - f) concluding sentence []
- 3) A transition in the topic sentence of the 2nd paragraph []
- 4) Second paragraph has the following:
 - a) Step 3 []
 - b) elaboration on first choice []
 - c) claim/opinion []
 - d) proof from article/video []
 - e) explanation of relevancy []
 - d) repeats steps c – e []
 - f) concluding sentence []
- 5) Properly cites sources using parenthetical references (the author's last name and page number at the end of a quote) if applicable to the assignment []
- 6) Writer uses 3rd person throughout assignment if specified []

TOTAL SCORE /18