

Research Paper Grading Criteria

Content Criteria (66%)	Points	Feedback
Outline present		
Introductory paragraph(s)		
Thesis statement is clear		
Outline supports thesis		
Paragraph development		
At least 5 Footnotes ¹		
Originality of ideas		
Clarity of sentences		
Summary paragraph(s)		
Bibliography of at least 5 sources		
Mechanics Criteria (33%)		
Spelling		
Proper sentences		
Punctuation		
Possessives/Apostrophes		
Use of pronouns		

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