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**PART 3 –ENDURING ISSUES ESSAY**

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| **GRADE** | **0-64 or incomplete**  | **65-79** | **80-89** | **90-100** |
| **INTRO****(10 points)** | * Thesis is not properly placed (must be the last sentence) or missing thesis statement.
* **Incomplete**: Missing enduring issue or enduring issue presented is inaccurate; background information or not fully completed and developed.
 | * Does not identify or it is unclear the enduring issue; needs further background information or background information does not pertain to topic and/or task.
* Missing thesis or thesis is not clear OR misplaced thesis (not the last sentence)
 | * Identified an enduring issue; provided background information that pertains to topic and task.
* Thesis statement is clear and is the last sentence.
 | * Identified an enduring issue and provides a definition; provided detailed background information that pertains to topic and task.
* Thesis statement is clearly stated a position and is the last sentence.
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| **BODY** **( 80 points)** | * **T**opic sentence is not present or does not pertain to task.
* **E**vidence and examples are not present to support position and/or evidence does not support the position taken or there is very little evidence with details; **documents are COPIED** and/or there are less than 4 DOCUMENTS used; **there is no summary and/or inaccurate summary that shows the understanding of the topic or there is minimal summary to show understanding.**
* Incorporates little or disconnected evidence about the change over time or continued to be an issue OR no evidence is provided about the change over time/continued to be an issue.
* **A**nalysis is not present and/or does not support the position taken.
* **EVIDENCE AND/OR ANALYSIS PROVIDED DOES NOT SHOW A CONNECTION TO THE ENDURING ISSUE.**
* **L**ink of the evidence and analysis is not present.
* **Incomplete:** Missing body paragraphs or not fully completed and developed; no relevant facts are presented or examples
 | * **T**opic sentence is not clear and/or does not pertain to task.
* **E**vidence and examples are presented; **4 DOCUMENTS** are used but there are minimal details and/or support position taken and/or some details present inaccuracies and/or **documents are primarily COPIED with limited summary.**
* Incorporates some evidence about the change over time/continued to be an issue with limited facts.
* **A**nalysis has little details and/or does not support the position.
* **EVIDENCE AND/OR ANALYSIS PROVIDED or SOME ASPECTS OF THE ESSAY DOES NOT SHOW A CLEAR CONNECTION TO THE ENDURING** **ISSUE**.
* **L**ink of the evidence and analysis is not clear and/or present and/or does not connect to the topic sentence.
 | * **T**opic sentence is clear and pertains to task.
* **E**vidence and examples from **4 DOCUMENTS** are presented and pertain to task and support position, but needs further details; **there are quotes used, but the summary is vague and/or limited.**
* Incorporates relevant evidence about the change over time/continued to be an issue with some facts.
* **A**nalysis is vague and/or partly supports the position.
* Essay is more descriptive than analytical and **SHOWS A CONNECTION TO THE ENDURING ISSUE.**
* **L**ink of the evidence and analysis is connected to the topic sentence.
 | * **T**opic sentences are clear and pertain to the task.
* **E**vidence and examples presented pertain to task in great detail and support thesis; **4 or more DOCUMENTS** are presented with details; **there are quotes used and summary that shows in-depth understanding of the topic.**
* Incorporates substantial evidence about the change over time/continued to be an issue with limited facts.
* **A**nalysis is in-depth and completely supports the position taken.
* Essay provides an even amount of description and analysis or essay is more analytical than descriptive and **SHOWS A CLEAR CONNECTION TO THE ENDURING ISSUE.**
* **L**ink of the evidence and analysis is clear and connected to the topic sentence.
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| **CONCL****( 5 points)** | * Does not restate thesis or is unclear.
* Does not summarize main ideas.
* Closing sentence is unclear.
* **Incomplete:** Missing conclusion or not fully completed and developed.
 | * Does not restate thesis statement or thesis is not clear.
* Summary is vague.
* Presented a closing sentence.
 | * Restated thesis statement is clear.
* Summarized major points.
* Presented a closing sentence.
 | * Restated thesis statement clearly states a position and is the first sentence.
* Summarized major points and makes connections.
* Presented a closing sentence.
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| **ORG****(5 points)** | * Does not follow TEAL strategies.
* Does not complete all aspects of the task or there are very minimal details.
* Transition and flow of the essay is not clear.
* Essay was not developed fully; did not indent.
 | * Does not clearly follow TEAL strategies.
* Completes some aspects of the tasks and or completes all aspects of the task, but lack details and/or is not balanced.
* Transition and flow of the essay is not clear.
 | * Attempts to follows TEAL strategies.
* Completes all aspects of the task, but is not balanced.
* Transition and flow of the essay is clear throughout most of it.
 | * Follows TEAL strategies in a clear and coherent manner.
* Completes all aspects of the task evenly.
* Transition and flow of essay is clear throughout.
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**\*If you essay is *submitted past the due date*, it will result in *-10 points every day it is late*. \***

**GRADE: /100**

***Next Steps to improve your essay are…***

* **Answer task:** Make sure your essay pertains to topic & task. Be sure to answer every bullet point of the task evenly.
* **Thesis:** Make sure you have a clear ARGUMENT in your introduction (positive /negative impact).
* **Topic Sentence:** Your topic sentence should be a general statement that relates to the E.I. and has a claim.
* **Documents:** You include the minimum required amount of documents stated in the essay task.
* **Evidence:** Include important information (quotations) from the documents that connects to the E.I and thesis statement.
* **Evidence:** Include summary in your own words that shows understanding that connects to the E.I. and thesis statement.
* **Evidence:** Include relevant information about the change over time or how it continues to be an issue.
* **Analysis:** Write more than facts; be sure to PROVE why / how something has a positive or negative affect.
* **Enduring Issue:** Make sure your evidence and analysis makes clear connections to the enduring issue you choose.
* **Organization:**  Essay should have: Introduction, Body Paragraphs (aligned to tasks and use TEAL), and a conclusion.
* **Avoid expression/opinion/statement phrases:** “I think”, “As you can see”, “I believe”, “In this essay I will be writing about…”, etc. These filler statements should not be in your essay.
* **Other:**