Argumentative Essay Rubric and Checklist

Planning Graphic Organizer: Classwork Grade

Rough Draft: Quiz Grade

Peer Edit Paper: Classwork Grade

Set Up of Argumentative Essay: Quiz Grade

Content of Argumentative Essay: Test Grade

**Essay Setup Grade:**

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| **Section in Essay** | **Points Earned** |
| Header is in correct order and complete (15 pts.) |  |
| Works cited page is present and complete (20 pts.) |  |
| A thoughtful title is given to the essay (5 pts.) |  |
| Times New Roman (10 pts.) |  |
| 12 pt. Font (15 pts.) |  |
| Double Spaced (15 pts.) |  |
| 2 Full Pages (20 pts.) |  |
| **Total:** |  |

**Content of Essay**

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| **Section in Essay** | **Points Earned** |
| Claim (10 pts.) |  |
| 3 Reasons (15 pts.) |  |
| At least 3 pieces of evidence (30 pts.) |  |
| Counterclaim (10 pts.) |  |
| Introduction (5 pts.) |  |
| Conclusion (5 pts.) |  |
| Direct Quote (2 pts.) |  |
| Indirect Quote (3 pts.) |  |
| Grammar and Punctuation (15 pts.) |  |
| In-text Citations (5 pts.) |  |
| **Total:** |  |