

Five-Paragraph Essay

Honors World Literature (Ebarvia)

Name _____

Introduction

Missing
Needs Work
Satisfactory
Very Good
Exemplary

Effective attention-grabbing strategy used to bring focus to essay					
Appropriate background information provided in introduction					
Complete thesis statement maps out remainder of essay					

Body Paragraphs

Topic sentences effectively introduce each body paragraph					
Body paragraph order follows thesis statement					
Introductory clauses smoothly integrate quotation into the essay					
Appropriate context for each example is smoothly integrated					
Best examples selected to support thesis					
Connection between the examples and the position is clear					
MLA parenthetical citations formatted correctly					

Conclusion

Conclusion effectively summarizes main ideas					
Conclusion alludes to the significance of ideas beyond the text					

Style & Mechanics

Varied, thoughtful and clear sentence structure					
Sophisticated use of word choice					
Transitions connect ideas logically and smoothly					
No errors in spelling or punctuation or grammar					
Only third-person point of view is used					
Present tense verbs are consistently and appropriately used					
MLA heading used					
2nd semester MLA formatted works cited page					

FINAL GRADE: _____ / 100