

Multimedia Editing

Grading rubric for online discussion questions (Ward)

The discussion questions are intended to help you think through the readings and make connections among many topics and points of view.

I've tried to make the grading straightforward and easy. Each question is worth two points, though I've included the possibility of a bonus point if the answers are especially well done.

The syllabus includes a section on plagiarism, but I'll add a reminder: Do your own work. This rubric applies only to work that is done honestly.--dw

	No points	1 point	2 points	Possible bonus point
Content	Fails to answer questions or is more than a day late.	Shows some understanding of material, but content lacks detail. Possible factual errors. Answers may be late.	Shows understanding of material through examples from the readings. Writing is organized, succinct and factually correct.	Answer shows exceptional understanding or makes especially cogent arguments or assessments.
Mechanics		Writing may contain errors in grammar, punctuation, usage and other areas we have focused on in class.	Writing shows solid use of grammar, punctuation, usage and other areas we have focused on in class.	