

DISCUSSION POINT RUBRIC

- Handed in on time
- Single-paged, double spaced, 12 pt. font (<350 word)
- Includes your name, the course, the due date, and assignment number, as evidenced in the footer and header
- Consists of only two paragraphs
- The first paragraph clearly and succinctly articulates a topic that you found of particular interest or importance in the assigned readings or in the class discussions
- Discussion point connects to the text, and provide page numbers
- The second paragraph discussed why you have found the topic you raised in the first paragraph to be (one of) the most interesting and/or important aspect(s) encountered in the assigned readings
- Discussion point is singular
- Evidence that you have closely, fairly, and thoroughly engaged in the assigned readings, and how your point connects with other issues that have been raised therein
- Evidence that you have read closely, rendered accurately, and approached your topic in an open, reflective, insightful, and critically-minded manner.
- Evidence that you have grasped or at least grappled diligently with the nature and potential implications of the issues that you have chosen to raise and discuss

YOUR MARK (out of 2.5)

2.5 – meets all criteria mentioned above

2 - meets all but one of the criteria mentioned above

1.5 - meets all but two of the criteria mentioned above

1 – meets all but three of the criteria mentioned above

0.5 – meets all but four of the criteria mentioned above

0 – meets all but five of the criteria mentioned above