

Annotated Bibliography Rubric

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Source Selection	Few sources chosen are relevant to the topic; writer may require significant additional research	Some sources chosen are relevant to the topic; writer may need additional sources to complete research	Most sources chosen are relevant to the topic; May require a small amount of additional research	Sources chosen are highly relevant to the topic; Sources adds greatly to research potential; few, if any additional sources needed
Credibility	Content is not sound	Some sources are from credible, scholarly materials	Most sources are from credible, scholarly materials	All sources are from credible, scholarly materials
Annotations	Few annotations meet the length requirements, few annotations adequately describe the source material; annotations offer little insight	Some annotations may be too short or too long; Annotations adequately describe the source material, but lack insight	Most annotations are succinct; Most comprehensively describe the source material; Some offer insight into the source material	Annotations succinctly and comprehensively describe the source material; Annotations offer great insight into the source material
Evaluations	Evaluation mostly lacking in explaining why the sources were chosen; demonstrates little understanding of research process	Evaluation sometimes explains why the sources were chosen; demonstrates some understanding of research process	Most evaluations explain why the sources were chosen; Understands the process of source acquisition	Evaluation clearly explains why the sources were chosen; demonstrates a clear understanding of research process: offers insight into source

Assignment Criteria	Few sources have a proper citation; Few citations are complete; few are in the proper MLA format	Some sources have proper citation; Some citations are complete; some are in the proper MLA format	Most sources have proper citation; Most citations are complete; Most are in the proper MLA format	Each sources has a proper citation; All citations are complete; All are in the proper MLA format
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