

## Research Paper Rubric

<b><u>Cover Page</u></b>	The cover page has all the necessary identifying information, and is neatly done. You have added an additional border or graphic that enhances your cover page.	The cover page has all the necessary identifying information, and is neatly done. You did not include a graphic on your cover page.	The cover page is not complete, or the cover has all the identifying information, but is not neatly done. You may or may not have included a graphic on your cover page	There is no cover page, or the cover page does not include the correct identifying information.
<i><b>POINTS</b></i> →	<i><b>15</b></i>	<i><b>10</b></i>	<i><b>5</b></i>	<i><b>0</b></i>
<b><u>Outline</u></b>	Outline is in correct format using Roman Numerals.	Outline is in correct format using Roman Numerals but is missing parts.	Outline is not in the correct format.	Your paper does not include an outline.
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<b><u>Review of Literature/ Quality of Body of Information</u></b>	Information clearly relates to the main topic. It includes several supporting details and/or examples.  Information is very organized with well-constructed paragraphs and subheadings.  You included 2-3 pages of information.	Information clearly relates to the main topic. It provides 1-2 supporting details and/or examples.  Information is organized with well-constructed paragraphs.  You may have included less than 2 or more than 3 pages of information.	Information clearly relates to the main topic. No details and/or examples are given.  The information appears to be disorganized; you did not follow the suggested outline.  You may have included less than 2 or more than 3 pages of information.	Information has little or nothing to do with the main topic; or it appears that you relied on excessive “copying & pasting” of information.  The information appears to be disorganized; you did not follow the suggested outline.  You may have less than 2 or more than 3 pages of information.
<i><b>POINTS</b></i> →	<i><b>55</b></i>	<i><b>40</b></i>	<i><b>25</b></i>	<i><b>10</b></i>
<b><u>References/ Sources</u></b>	At least 3 sources (information and graphics) are accurately cited.	At least 3 source) are cited, however one or more are not in the correct format.	Less than 3 sources are cited, but some are not in the correct format.	None of your sources are accurately cited.
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