

## Student Blog Grading Rubric (25 points)

Your student blog will be graded on the criteria listed below. Remember, your blog post will be published on your class website and many people will be reading what you write. \*All blogs posted late will be deducted 5 points per day it is late.

Criteria	Points
<p><b>Coherency and Organization</b></p> <p>4-5 points – coherent and well-organized            2-3 points – somewhat difficult to follow            1 point – not organized</p> <p>Your blog post is organized.            Your blog post contains an introduction and a conclusion.            Your blog post addresses each of the items addressed in the assignment.</p>	
<p><b>Content</b></p> <p>4-5 points – topic fully discussed with several examples from your experiences &amp; research            2-3 points – topic only cursorily discussed with only one example provided            1 point – topic barely discussed with no examples provided</p> <p>Your blog post is descriptive.            You used at least 3-4 sentences to describe each of the suggested discussion questions and learning of that day.            You gave specific examples.            You have shared something.</p>	
<p><b>Accuracy</b></p> <p>4-5 points – few errors in spelling and grammar            2-3 points – many spelling or grammar errors, but still comprehensible            1 point – meaning unclear due to spelling or grammar errors</p> <p>Your blog post is well written.            You have spell-checked and proofread your article.            Your article contains proper spelling, grammar, capitalization, and punctuation.            Your blog post is properly titled.</p>	
<p><b>Creativity</b></p> <p>4-5 points – use personal thoughts and ideas; creative presentation of topics; included pictures and links to other websites where appropriate.            2-3 points – semi-creative presentation            1 – completely uncreative presentation</p> <p>You have linked to outside sources throughout your blog post, <u>where appropriate</u>.            You have shared something about your personal thoughts, feelings, etc.            You have attempted to be creative in your presentation of the content.</p>	
<p><b>Comments on Group Member Blog</b></p> <p>4-5 points - demonstrated that you read their posting by reacting to or asking about what your classmate wrote            2-3 points – questionable whether you read or understood classmate’s posting            1 point – no demonstration of having read classmate’s posting</p>	<p>Don't worry about this yet – for Wednesday</p>
<b>TOTAL</b>	