

# Article of the Week Rubric

## Instructions

1. Mark the parts that confuse you. Make a marginal note to explain how it confuses you. (Words in bold must be annotated.)
2. Use context clues and Latin and/or Greek affixes to make a guess about what confuses you.
3. Comment on the text by connecting to personal experience or previous knowledge.
4. Written response (We will cycle through three options.):
  1. Write a summary of the article.
  2. Respond to the questions about the article.
  3. Write a personal reflection about the article.

	<b>5 (A)</b>	<b>3 (C)</b>	<b>1 (F)</b>
Required Annotations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All annotations complete</li> <li>• All annotations include information about context clues</li> <li>• Annotations show in-depth thought and analysis</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Most annotations complete</li> <li>• Most annotations include information about context clues</li> <li>• Annotations show basic thought and analysis</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Few annotations complete</li> <li>• Few annotations include information about context clues</li> <li>• Annotations consist merely of “What does x mean?”.</li> </ul>
Student-Created Annotations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Multiple annotations throughout the entire article</li> <li>• Annotations show in-depth thought and analysis</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Several annotations throughout most of the article</li> <li>• Annotations show basic thought and analysis</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Few annotations throughout any of the article</li> <li>• Annotations consist merely of “What does x mean?”.</li> </ul>
Summary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Summary correctly identifies the main idea of the text</li> <li>• Summary includes sufficient main details from the text</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Summary identifies the main idea of the text with significant errors</li> <li>• Summary includes some main details from the text</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Summary doesn't attempt to identify the main idea of the text</li> <li>• Summary doesn't include sufficient main details from the text</li> </ul>
Questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All questions correct</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Most questions correct</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No questions answered</li> </ul>
Response	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Response is thoughtful and considered</li> <li>• Response is at least 100 words long</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Response is basic and rushed</li> <li>• Response is less than 100 words</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No response supplied</li> </ul>