**Research Report Rubric**

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|  | **Level 1** | **Level 2** | **Level 3** | **Level 4** | **Grade** |
| Application | I used the outline to organize my thoughts a little bit. | I used the outline occasionally to organize my thoughts. | I used the outline to organize most of my thoughts. | I used the outline completely and with attention to detail. |  **/10** |
| I have included one “findings” paragraph. | I have included two “findings” paragraphs. | I have included three “findings” paragraphs. | I have included four or more “findings” paragraphs. |
| Thinking and Inquiry | I used only one source. I am not sure if my source was reliable. | I used at least two sources. I attempted to look for reliable sources. | I used at least three sources. I asked myself questions to make sure the sources were reliable. | I used four or more sources. I made sure that my sources were reliable before using them. |  **/10** |
| Communication | I used point form or incomplete sentences/I used one or two headings and subheadings. | I wrote in full sentences mostof the time/I used headings and subheadingsmost of the time. | I wrote in full sentences all of the time/I correctly used headings and subheadings. | I wrote in full, clear, and varied sentences/I correctly used headings and subheadings with clear titles. |  **/10** |
| Knowledge & Understanding | I only cited one or two of my sources/I didnʼt follow the MLA style very closely. | I cited most of my sources/I am working towards using the MLA style correctly. | I cited all of my sources/I used the MLA style almost perfectly. | I cited all of my sources/I used the MLA style perfectly. |  **/10** |

**Next Steps:**

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| **Application:** | **Thinking and Inquiry:** |
| **Communication:** | **Knowledge and Understanding:** |