

Module 1: The Journey of Self-Discovery-Introduction to the Digital Portfolio

Topic 1 Application: A Real Writer's Reflection Rubric

	25 Points	20 Points	15 Points	10 Points
Introduction Paragraph	The introduction introduces the chosen quote, the main points to be discussed, and includes a description of a “real writer.”	The introduction introduces the chosen quote, the main points to be discussed, and includes an adequate description of a “real writer.”	The introduction introduces the chosen quote and the main points to be discussed.	The introduction contains only one of the following items; the chosen quote, the main points to be discussed, or the description of a “real writer.”
Evidence and Examples	All of the evidence and examples are specific and relevant; explanations are given that show how each piece of evidence supports the writer’s position.	Most of the evidence and examples are specific and relevant; explanations are given that show how each piece of evidence supports the writer’s position.	At least one of the pieces of evidence and examples is relevant and has an explanation that shows how that piece of evidence supports the writer’s position.	The evidence and examples are not relevant; however an attempt is made to give supporting evidence.
Closing Paragraph	The conclusion is strong, shows a solid reflection, and summarizes the main points.	The conclusion is recognizable and summarizes the main points.	The conclusion is adequate and summarizes the main points.	There is some evidence of a summary.
Grammar and Spelling	The writer makes no errors in grammar or spelling that distract the reader from the content.	The writer makes 1-2 errors in grammar or spelling that distract the reader from the content.	The writer makes 3-4 errors in grammar or spelling that distract the reader from the content.	The writer makes more than 4 errors in grammar or spelling that distract the reader from the content.

**Evidence of plagiarism results in a zero.*