

## Timeline Grading Rubric

	<b>Excellent 6</b>	<b>Good 4</b>	<b>Satisfactory 3</b>	<b>Needs Improvement 1</b>
<b>Documentation of Events</b>	The timeline contains all 22 significant events and lists the dates of the duration of the event.	The timeline contains all 22 significant events but the order or dates for a few events is unclear	The timeline is missing some of the events and/or the dates the events occurred	The timeline contains less than 10 significant events
<b>Content/Facts</b>	Facts were accurate for all events reported on the timeline.	Facts were accurate for almost all events reported on the timeline.	Facts were accurate for most (~75%) of the events reported on the timeline.	Facts were often inaccurate for the events that were reported on the timeline.
<b>Accuracy</b>	All dates indicated on timeline are correct and are sequenced in the proper order.	At least 18 of the dates are accurate or sequences are in the proper order.	At least 12 of the dates are accurate or sequences are in the proper order.	Less than 5 of the dates are accurate or sequences are in the proper order.
<b>Sentence Fluency</b>	Events are clearly described using accurate and vivid language	Events are described well, but language is sometimes vague or inaccurate.	Events are not described well and language is often vague or inaccurate.	Events are described using vague language or inaccurate information.
<b>Graphics</b>	All images/drawings are effective and balanced with text use, and are relevant to understanding this topic	All images/drawings are effective, but there appear to be too few or a few of them aren't relevant.	Some images/drawings are effective and their use is balanced with text use.	Several graphics are not effective.
<b>Style &amp; Organization</b>	Legible handwriting, typing, or printing. The timeline is beautiful and clear.	Legible handwriting, typing, or printing. The timeline is clear enough to get the points across.	Writing is messy or not legible in places. Parts of the timeline are confusing or unclear	The timeline isn't appealing and hard to understand the information
<b>Mechanics</b>	Punctuation, spelling, and capitalization were checked and are correct throughout.	Punctuation, spelling, and capitalization were checked and are mostly correct.	Punctuation, spelling, and capitalization are somewhat correct and may or may not have been checked.	There are many punctuation, spelling, and capitalization errors.
<b>MLA Format Bibliography</b>	The timeline has a works cited page that is in MLA Format. It has at least 5 citations from a variety of sources	The timeline has a works cited page that is in MLA Format. It has at least 5 citations	The timeline has a works cited page but it either isn't in MLA Format or doesn't include at least 5 citations	The works cited page is lacking sources or missing vital information