

Appendix A

Abbreviated Version of the Rubric Form for Scored Discussion

Legend for Positive Behaviors

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|---|--|
| 1 = Making a relevant comment (+1) | 4 = Drawing a classmate into the discussion (+1) |
| 2 = Presenting factual information (+1) | 5 = Asking a clarifying question (+1) |
| 3 = Taking a stand on an issue (+1) | 6 = Demonstrating critical thinking (+2) |

Place a mark in the appropriate column each time the corresponding positive behavior is shown.

Students' Names	Positive Behaviors					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
1. _____	___	___	___	___	___	___
2. _____	___	___	___	___	___	___
3. _____	___	___	___	___	___	___

Legend for Negative Behaviors

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|---|---|
| 1 = Making an irrelevant comment (-1) | 4 = Monopolizing conversation (-1) |
| 2 = Distracting or interrupting others (-1) | 5 = Refusing to speak when addressed (-1) |
| 3 = Engaging in a personal attack (-1) | 6 = Not paying attention (-1) |

Place a mark in the appropriate column each time the corresponding negative behavior is shown.

Students' Names	Negative Behaviors					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
1. _____	___	___	___	___	___	___

2. _____

3. _____

Appendix B

Summative Scoring Sheet for Each Student

Student's Name: _____ Discussion Number: _____ Date: _____

The number of points earned for each of the following behaviors appears below.

Positive Behaviors

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|---|---|-------|
| 1. Making a relevant comment (+1) | = | _____ |
| 2. Presenting factual information (+1) | = | _____ |
| 3. Taking a stand on an issue (+1) | = | _____ |
| 4. Drawing a classmate into the discussion (+1) | = | _____ |
| 5. Asking a clarifying question (+1) | = | _____ |
| 6. Demonstrating critical thinking (+2) | = | _____ |
| Positive Point Total | = | _____ |

Negative Behaviors

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|--|---|-------|
| 1. Making an irrelevant comment (-1) | = | _____ |
| 2. Distracting or interrupting others (-1) | = | _____ |
| 3. Engaging in a personal attack (-1) | = | _____ |
| 4. Monopolizing conversation (-1) | = | _____ |
| 5. Refusing to speak when addressed (-1) | = | _____ |
| 6. Not paying attention (-1) | = | _____ |
| Negative Point Total | = | _____ |

Overall Point Total = _____

Comments: _____
