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| **Criteria** | **Unacceptable** | **Acceptable** | **Target** |
| **Content and Creativity** | Postings provide minimal/or no insight, understanding and reflective thought about the topic by not by either including a focus argument to a topic, asking new question regarding the topic, writing an oppositional statement supported by related research. | Postings provide moderate insight, understanding and reflective thought about the topic by either including a focus argument to a topic, asking new question regarding the topic, writing an oppositional statement supported by related research.. | Postings provide comprehensive insight, understanding, and reflective thought about the topic by either including a focus argument to a topic, asking new question regarding the topic, writing an oppositional statement supported by related research. |
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| Analysis | Shows limited and/or no understanding of topic or text. Uses limited, simplistic and/or no reasoning to connect evidence with claim(s) | Shows competent understanding of topic or text. Uses valid reasoning to connect evidence with claim(s) | Shows insightful understanding of topic or text. Uses persuasive and valid reasoning to connect evidence with claim(s) |