Author Autobiography Grading Rubric

Criteria	Possible Points	Your Score
Overall presentation: Author created an appropriate title for their autobiography; presentation and organization of entries is neat	5	
Entry 1		
Composition: Interesting and relevant title, addresses the driving question, has a clear main idea with supporting details that enhance the main idea	4	
Express: Communication is clear and entry is easy to follow, interesting, accessible, and relatable	4	
Mechanics: Sentences are clear, complete and of varying lengths; correct grammar, spelling, and punctuation is used	2	
Entry 2		
Composition: Interesting and relevant title, addresses the driving question, has a clear main idea with supporting details that enhance the main idea	4	
Express: Communication is clear and entry is easy to follow, interesting, accessible, and relatable	4	
Mechanics: Sentences are clear, complete and of varying lengths; correct grammar, spelling, and punctuation is used	2	
Entry 3		
Composition: Interesting and relevant title, addresses the driving question, has a clear main idea with supporting details that enhance the main idea	4	
Express: Communication is clear and entry is easy to follow, interesting, accessible, and relatable	4	
Mechanics: Sentences are clear, complete and of varying lengths; correct grammar, spelling, and punctuation is used	2	
Total Score	35	

Self-Portrait Grading Rubric

Criteria	Possible Points	Your Score
Create: Self-portrait is neat; materials have been used creatively and appropriately	5	
Express: Self-portrait reflects three experiences in student's life that shaped their ideas about politics and government	5	
Total Score	10	

Additional Comments:

Presentation Rubric: Author Autobiography and Self-Portrait Name:

Criteria	Possible Points	Your Score
Time Limit: presentation stays within 5-10 minutes.	5	
 Organization: presentation was rehearsed and follows appropriate structure. Title and thesis statement of autobiography Choose one of three entries to share and explain Share and explain self-portrait 	5	
Delivery: audible, clear voice, no mumbling, speaks at appropriate pace, and not in a monotone. Enthused and confident.	5	
Eye Contact: speaker maintains appropriate eye contact.	5	
Visual Aid: clear, spelling and grammar correct, relevant	5	
Total Score	25	

Additional Comments: