

Criteria	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Criterion Score
Critical Thinking	46 points (39-46 points possible) You demonstrate clear, insightful critical thinking in preparing an abstract and summary of interviews conducted for your capstone research paper.	38 points (26-38 points possible) You demonstrate competent critical thinking in preparing an abstract and summary of interviews conducted for your capstone research paper.	25 points (14-25 points possible) You demonstrate limited critical thinking in preparing an abstract and summary of interviews conducted for your capstone research paper.	13 points (0-13 points possible) You demonstrate no critical thinking in preparing an abstract and summary of interviews conducted for your capstone research paper.	/ 46
Mechanics	40 points (26-40 points possible) You follow all of the instructions in preparing an abstract and summary of interviews conducted for your capstone research paper.	25 points (14-25 points possible) You follow most of the instructions in preparing an abstract and summary of interviews conducted for your capstone research paper.	13 points (8-13 points possible) You follow few of the instructions in preparing an abstract and summary of interviews conducted for your capstone research paper.	7 points (0-7 points possible) You do not follow the instructions in preparing an abstract and summary of interviews conducted for your capstone research paper.	/ 40
Grammar, Spelling, Length, and Citation	14 points (10-14 points possible) Your sentence structure is complete with correct spelling, punctuation, and capitalization, and varied diction and word choices. Your assignment length and APA formatting are correct with sources correctly cited.	9 points (6-9 points possible) Your sentence structure has minor errors (fragments, run-ons) with correct spelling, punctuation, and capitalization, but limited diction and word choices. Your assignment length and APA formatting are correct with sources correctly cited.	5 points (2-5 points possible) Your sentence structure has several errors in sentence fluency with multiple fragments/run-ons, and poor spelling, punctuation, and/or word choice. Your assignment length is inadequate with several APA and citation errors.	1 point (0-1 points possible) Your sentence structure has serious and persistent errors in sentence fluency, spelling, punctuation, and/or word choice. Your assignment length is inadequate with several APA and citation errors or sources are not cited.	/ 14

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