## Rubrics



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"a scoring guide used to evaluate the quality of students' constructed responses" (Popham, 1997)

<u>Analytic</u>

- Criteria or traits to be evaluated
- Levels of performance on each criteria
- (Optional) Explanation of each level for each criterion <u>Holistic</u>
- Integrates all aspects of the work into a single overall rating

Either type may contain space to enter comments from the instructor.

Popham, J. (1997). <u>"What's Wrong - and What's Right - with Rubrics"</u>. *Educational Leadership*. **55** (2): 72–75.



### Why should I use a Rubric?



### Reasons to use Rubrics

- Increase grading **efficiency** 
  - Large class size
  - High volume of written assignments
  - Entering same comments repeatedly
- Increase grading consistency
  - Between multiple graders
  - Through long grading sessions
- Increase grading transparency
  - Define requirements before submission
  - Explain how students were assessed



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### Rubric Examples

**Canvas Assignments** 



### Show us your Rubrics!