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AP English 12 Research Paper Grading Form

CONTENT (40) _____

- Strong introduction
- Fits thesis statement
- Clear purpose (specific and focused)
- Ideas well developed (complete discussion of thesis)
- Outline coordinates with paper
- Good transitions
- Strong conclusion
- No plagiarism

ORGANIZATION (20) _____

- Thesis clear from introduction
- Clear, logical pattern of development
- Good paragraphing
- Outline organization fits paper
- Conclusion

GRAMMAR, MECHANICS, USAGE (20) _____

- Voice, tense, sentence structure, etc.
- Spelling, punctuation, capitalization
- Word choice, etc.

FORM (20) _____

- Correct manuscript form
- Clean, neat copy
- Overall MLA form
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