	Reading Seminar Constructed Response Rubric			
	4 – Exceeds	3 – Meets	2 – Doesn't meet	0 – Missing
Claim	 Title Author Position is clearly stated 	TitleAuthorPosition is stated	meet	
Reason #1	Provided a valid reason that strongly aligns with the claim	• Provided a reason that aligns with claim		
Evidence #1	 Provided a strong, relevant, direct quote Used proper citation 	 Provided a relevant direct quote Used proper citation 		
Elaboration #1	 Explained quote in own words Provided valid reason on how quote relates to reason #1 	 Explained quote in own words Provided a reason on how quote relates to reason 		
Analysis #1	• Showed how reason #1 proves the claim using strong insight into source	• Proved how reason #1 supports the claim with limited insight.		
Reason #2	Provided a valid reason that strongly aligns with the claim	Provided a reason that aligns with the claim		
Evidence #2	 Provided a strong, relevant, direct quote Used proper citation 	 Provided relevant direct quote Used proper citation 		
Elaboration #2	 Explained quote in own words Provided valid reason on how quote relates to reason #2 	 Explained quote in own words Provided a reason on how quote relates to reason 		
Analysis #2	Showed how reason #2 proves the claim using strong insight into source	• Showed how reason #2 proves the claim with limited insight.		
Conclusion	Restated the claim and provided thoughtful elaboration	Restated the claim and provided elaboration.		
Transitions	• Included sophisticated transitions throughout the response	• Transitions used were repeated in 1 st and 2 nd reasons.		
Proper grammar / sentence structure	 Correct punctuation Correct capitalization Complete sentences (No run-ons or fragments) Proper formatting Color-Coded 	Limited mistakes in the following: • Punctuation • Capitalization • Sentences structure • Formatting • Color-Coded		

Total _____/48 = _____