

Lesson 34: Quiz 3 - Evaluate Using Essay Scoring Rubric

Directions: Use Ms. Shine's essay scoring rubric to evaluate each of the paragraphs that Lee wrote. Look at each of the five parts of the rubric. Then decide which description matches the writing sample. Follow the example:

Prompt:

What steps can the schools take to ensure a proper diet that promotes healthy eating habits for their students who are served breakfast and lunch?

Lee's Draft

Example: Introduction Paragraph 1

The schools should promote healthy eating habits for all students. They can take several steps to ensure a proper diet. The menus must offer balanced meals and a variety of choice. Foods that contain high levels of fats, sugar, salt, and additives, should be eliminated. Junk food should not be available to the students. The foods should also be appealing in appearance and taste. The responsibility of the schools is to educate the community, especially when it comes to healthy eating.

<i>Purpose/ Task/ Prompt</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i><u>4</u></i>	
<i>Organization</i>	<i><u>1</u></i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	
<i>Development and Details</i>	<i><u>1</u></i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	
<i>Sentences and Grammar</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i><u>3</u></i>	<i>4</i>	
<i>Word Choice</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i><u>3</u></i>	<i>4</i>	<i>Total Score <u>12</u></i>

Explanation: This paragraph contains too much information. Each of the sentences that follow the thesis should be used as a topic sentences in the paragraphs that follow. Remember the introduction paragraph sets the scene for the remainder of the essay.

Paragraph 4

In addition to the selection of balanced meals with fresh fruits and vegetables, it is important to make the food look appealing and taste good. Kids will try something that looks tasty. The preparation of these foods should avoid deep frying. Overcooking makes the foods lose vitamins and taste, as well as looking unappetizing. Choose foods that are kid friendly, but prepare them kid healthy by steaming, baking or roasting.

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Select one:

- a. 4
- b. 2
- c. 3
- d. 1

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Sentences and Grammar Score:

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Word Choice Score:

Select one:

- a. 3
- b. 4
- c. 1
- d. 2

Add up your total score and compare your answer with ours.

Answer: