

Paragraph with Direct Evidence – Grading Rubric

	3 points	2 points	1 point
<u>Topic Sentence:</u> - Gets reader's attention - Introduces main idea of paragraph - Complete sentence	3 requirements met	2 requirements met	1 requirement met
<u>Supporting Sentences:</u> - At least 4 complete sentences - Each gives new details or information - Each matches with the main idea	3 requirements met	2 requirements met	1 requirement met
<u>Evidence Used:</u> - At least 3 quotations are used as evidence - The quotations used are explained well - Each piece of evidence supports the main idea	3 requirements met	2 requirements met	1 requirement met
<u>Concluding Sentence:</u> - Restates the topic sentence - Wraps up the ideas in the paragraph - Complete sentence	3 requirements met	2 requirements met	1 requirement met
Spelling, Grammar, Punctuation, Capitalization.	Correct throughout	1-3 errors	4 or more errors

Total = _____/15

Comments: