

Student's Name:

## Revision/Revision Notes Grading Rubric

**Reminder: Keep this rubric, along with the graded draft of this essay, for use later this semester.**

\_\_\_\_\_ **C (70-79):** This revision meets all of the minimum requirements of the essay assignment for which it was originally written; it includes a full and independent, typed revision of the original essay; it includes typed revision notes that point to specific places in the revision where changes have been made; its revision notes also give some explanation of why changes have been made; it contains simple improvements to the essay's punctuation, syntax, and coherence; includes changes to the essay's structure involving the simple movement of paragraphs; brings MLA documentation issues into line with guidelines from the textbooks; and addresses problems pointed out in the first draft in nearly every instance.

\_\_\_\_\_ **B (80-89):** This revision also includes notes that are especially useful and/or detailed; nearly universal improvements to the essay's punctuation, syntax, and coherence; improvements to the connection between individual supporting details and the opinions they support; significant and/or especially thoughtful structural and developmental improvements; improvements in clarity involving more than simply adding text at the expense of proportional development; and general commentary limited to the introduction or conclusion of the essay.

\_\_\_\_\_ **A (90-100):** This revision also demonstrates at least one of the following attributes of superior revising: exceptional difference from the initial draft, exceptionally comprehensive revision notes, significantly more complex or improved in original thought, in expression, in voice, in MLA formatting, in coherence, in mechanics.

**Assignment Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_ **+/- Points for special assignment requirements** \_\_\_\_\_ =

<b>Final Grade</b>
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\_\_\_\_\_ **D or F**

If your revision does not meet the requirements for a C, you will earn a grade of D (60-69) or F (<60), depending on the severity of problems you have with one or more of the first standards.

**Note:** See the assignment sheet for this project for detailed information about special assignment requirements. Points deducted for special assignment requirements are detailed there.

**Comments:**