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Discussion Participation Rubric Unit _____

APES

	Developing	Proficient	Advanced	Score
Preparation	<u>1-2 points</u> Arrives with NO outline, notes, article, annotations. Speaks without thinking.	<u>3-4 points</u> Arrives with outline, notes, article, annotations. Gathers thoughts before speaking.	<u>5 points</u> Arrives with outline, notes, article annotations. Asks questions. Gathers thoughts before speaking.	
Knowledge & Analysis	<u>1-6 points</u> Offers some analysis, but requires prompting. Demonstrates a general knowledge, but relies more on personal opinion than notes/text.	<u>7-8 points</u> Offers solid analysis without prompting. Demonstrates a proficient knowledge of text/notes. Participant balances opinion with textual references.	<u>9-10 points</u> Offers enough analysis to move the conversation forward. Demonstrates a deep knowledge of the of text/notes. Refers often to specific parts of text/notes/articles.	
Discussion Skills	<u>1-2 points</u> Comments relate only marginally to the dialogue. Does not build on other comments. Does not ask questions of others. Is not considerate of others' viewpoints.	<u>3-4 points</u> Demonstrates active listening by building on others' comments. Offers clarification and asks questions of others. Sometimes interrupts, may contradict others, may appear close-minded.	<u>5 points</u> Demonstrates active listening by building on others' comments. Offers clarification and asks questions that extend the conversation. Does not interrupt and keeps an open-mind. Treats all comments with respect.	
			Total (out of 20):	