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|  | Poor | Fair | Good | Very good | Excellent |
| Intro Paragraph  6 | Missing more than 3 elements | Missing 3 elements | Missing 2 elements | Missing 1 element | Attention getter  2 possible claims  Thesis w/fact/claim/support |
| Background Paragraph  6 | Missing more than 3 elements | Missing 3 elements | Missing 2 elements | Missing 1 element | Summary of novel  Summary of two main disputes  2 Quotes that support both disputes (2 per) |
| Supporting evidence  10 | Missing more than 3 elements | Missing 3 elements | Missing 2 elements | Missing 1 element | Topic Sentence  Support 1  Evidence  Explanation  Support 2  Evidence  Explanation  Concluding sentence |
| Counter argument  10 | Missing more than 3 elements | Missing 3 elements | Missing 2 elements | Missing 1 element | Topic Sentence  2 counter arguments  Facts/quotes to support  Rebuttals  Facts/quotes to support  Concluding sentence |
| Conclusion  6 | Missing more than 3 elements | Missing 3 elements | Missing 2 elements | Missing 1 element | Readdress both arguments  Restates thesis  “So what” info  Leave the reader with something to consider |
| Format  6 |  |  |  |  | 2bl spaced  Header  12 pt  Times New Roman |
| Grammar  Spelling  Word Choice  6 |  |  |  |  | Free of spelling errors  Free of grammar errors  Complex word & sentence choice |
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