

Photographic Analysis Rubric

Achievement Level	Analysis of Photograph	Knowledge of Historical Context	Resources	Understands Task
4	Offers in-depth subjective and objective analysis and interpretation of the photograph Distinguishes between fact and opinion	Shows evidence of thorough knowledge of period in which photograph was taken Relates primary sources to specific historical events	Uses many outside resources in addition to photograph to determine events of the time period	Understands task requirements and rubric and is able to explain so others understand
3	Offers accurate analysis of the photograph	Use previous general historical knowledge to examine photograph	Uses 1-2 outside resources in addition to photograph to determine the events of the time period	Understands most of the task requirements and rubric
2	Demonstrates only a minimal understanding of the photograph Presents only a minimal analysis	Limited use of historical knowledge without complete accuracy	Uses only one outside resource in addition to photograph to determine the events of the time period	Somewhat confused about task requirements and rubric and does not ask for explanation
1	Reiterates one or two facts from the photograph but does not offer any analysis or interpretation of the photograph	Barely indicates any historical knowledge	Uses no outside resources to determine the events of the time period	Randomly selects historical sources with no understanding of task requirements or rubric and does not ask for explanation