

STUDENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

**Annotated Bibliography Rubric  
English 132 (Information Literacy and Research  
Fall 2020**

	<b>4 (100-90)</b>	<b>3 (89-80)</b>	<b>2 (79-70)</b>	<b>1 (69-60)</b>
Introduction and Conclusion 20%	Introduction includes an effective and exceptional lead in and an organizational thesis. The conclusion restates this thesis and ends emphatically.	Introduction includes an effective lead in and an organizational thesis. The conclusion restates this thesis and ends emphatically.	Introduction includes a lead in and an organizational thesis. However, the conclusion does not restate this thesis or ends emphatically.	Introduction does not include a lead in and an organizational thesis. The conclusion does not restate a thesis or ends emphatically.
Source Quality 20%	Required number of sources (6). Sources are varied—book, scholarly article, web site, and social media.	Required number of sources (6). Sources are varied—book, non-scholarly article, web site, and social media.	Required number of sources (6). Sources are not varied—no book, two .com scholarly articles, and web, and social media.	Fewer than required number of sources (less than (4), most of them web site articles, one web site, and no book or scholarly article.
Annotation Quality 40%	Annotation shows careful reading and clear understanding of source content, quality, and relevance. Annotated items carefully followed from required handout.	Annotation shows reading and understanding of source content, quality, and relevance. Annotated items followed from required handout.	Annotation shows reading and understanding of source content, quality, and relevance, with weaknesses or omissions in no more than one or two entries. Some annotated items followed from required handout.	Annotation shows superficial or no reading and understanding of source content, quality, and relevance, with weaknesses or omissions in most entries. No annotated item followed from required handout.
Bibliography 15%	All citations are correctly cited following standard APA bibliographic format.	All citations are cited following standard APA bibliographic format with no more than two errors.	Citations follow standard APA bibliographic format with several citation errors.	Citations do not follow the APA bibliographic format or contain pattern of frequent citation errors.
Mechanics and Grammar Usage 5%	Less than 2 spelling errors, Less than 2 grammar usage errors, no syntactical (fragments, run-ons) errors.	Less than 3-4 spelling errors, Less than 3-4 grammar usage errors, no syntactical (fragments, run-ons) errors.	Less than 5-6 spelling errors, Less than 5-6 grammar usage errors, 1 syntactical (fragments, run-ons) errors.	More than 7 spelling errors, More than 7 grammar usage errors, More than 1 syntactical (fragments, run-ons) errors.

**TOTAL AVERAGE FOR ANNOTATED BIBLIOGRAPHY:** \_\_\_\_\_

**COMMENTS:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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