

Research Paper Rubric

Student _____

STEP 1	Identify 5 subjects of interest (with specific topic area)	/ 5
STEP 2	Identify (name) 3 resources	/ 3
STEP 3	Develop 6 questions	/ 6
STEP 4	MLA format for resources (as “Works Cited”)	/ 3
STEP 5	Outline (with Roman numerals, cap letters, & numbers	/ 5
STEP 6	Evaluate another person’s paper (6 questions)	/ 6
COVER PAGE	Title, Submitted to... , Submitted by... , Date	/ 4
CONTENT	6 Questions from STEP 3 answered	/ 6
ORGANIZATION	Outline from STEP 5 followed	/ 5
MLA	Modern Language Format (<i>parenthetical</i> with name and page)	/ 3
MLA	Modern Language Format (<i>works cited</i> in alphabetical order)	/ 3
CONVENTIONS	Spelling, paragraphing, punctuation, & syntax	/ 5
TOTAL		/ 54