

Sample Response Journal Assessment

Student's Name:

Evaluation Period From: _____ **to:** _____

Number of Responses: _____

- 1 = weak, underdeveloped
- 2 = fair, partially developed
- 3 = acceptable, adequately developed
- 4 = good, well developed
- 5 = strong, fully developed

1. Responses are recorded regularly.

1 2 3 4 5

2. Responses are full and complete.

1 2 3 4 5

3. Responses demonstrate:

- close, careful reading of text(s)

1 2 3 4 5

- personal connections with text(s) (beyond simple plot summaries)

1 2 3 4 5

- reflection on significant issues, themes, and concerns raised in text(s)

1 2 3 4 5

- willingness to respond to range of styles and genres

1 2 3 4 5

- insightful, perceptive reading of text(s).

1 2 3 4 5

4. Responses have been used as starting points for other writing.

Yes No

5. When appropriate, responses offer evidence of a revised perspective (i.e., looks back, reflects upon, builds on).

Yes No

Comments: