

Peer Review Worksheet

Unit 4: How can science improve lives?

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Unit Assignment: Write an essay comparing and contrasting two innovative technologies.

Date: _____

Writer: _____

Peer Editor: _____

Title: _____

1. What two types of technology does the writer describe? Does the writer mention their relationship in the thesis statement? Write a compliment or a suggestion for making it clearer?

2. Does the writer use a point by point or a similarities and differences organization? Does the organization fit the author's purpose in balancing the two or expressing that one is better?

3. Write one or two questions to help the writer add more information about one or both of the topics being compared?

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4. Put a check in the margin where the writer has used ideas from the readings or the unit video. Suggest another way the writer can use material from the unit to support an idea.

5. Circle subordinators and transitions that compare or contrast. Where might the writer need to check for meaning, grammar, or punctuation? Write suggestions for revisions below.

6. After reading the essay, what do you learn from comparing/contrasting these two types of technology that you had not thought of before? Explain.
