

ENC 1102- Self Review- Research Proposal

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A. Formatting Essentials: Write a "Y" (yes) or "N" (no) next to each of the following questions.

1. ____Y____ Does the writer use MLA heading style **with last name/pg #** (as discussed in class)?
2. ____Y____ Is the paper typed in **Times New Roman 12-pt font**? (looks just like this)
3. ____Y____ Is it **double-spaced**?
4. ____Y____ Is there a **centered, creative title** with standard **capitalization**?
5. ____Y____ Is the paper 7+ pages (minus data collection tool questions and works cited)?
6. ____Y____ Is there a Works Cited? (Likely same sources as your Research Log)

B. Content: Using a scale of 0-3, where 0= n/a, 1= poor, 2= fair, 3= great, write the corresponding number for each of the statements below.

1. ____3____ The proposal has an introduction which has all three parts: a) General short intro to topic and paper, b) review of literature, and c) establishes niche (presents research questions at the end of literature review).
2. ____3____ The lit review section is at least 3 pages long and synthesizes others' research on the topic, explaining what is known about it and groups sources according to common denominators. At least six sources are cited in this section.
3. ____3____ The Methodology describes the two methods for the study and explains why these two methods are best for the research purposes. As appropriate, the sample chosen for testing is described and the author explains why this sample was chosen. This includes any demographic information, if relevant to the design. Are there any participants excluded? Why, why not? How would the author go about collecting the data? Writer provides a step-by-step overview. Includes the questions used for any interviews or surveys. (These are not included in the 2-page content requirement for this section.) The writer includes how they will analyze the results.
4. ____3____ The Significance and Conclusion section discusses, in general, how the proposed research would lead to significant contribution to the existing conversation (the lit review), and how it would benefit the field. Why should someone care? If the writer wanted to publish results, why would they be interesting? There are at least three direct references to places in the literature review. This should be at least 1.5 pages.

5. ____3____ The proposal is organized in a clear and coherent way and does not just present information randomly.

Add the numbers above and write the score here: ____15____ (max 15)