**Justin Cabral – Assignment 2**

**Rubric Exercise Discussion Board Worksheet**

A notional discussion board assignment has been completed by a group of fictional students.  Use the 10-point rubric for the discussion board participation (listed in the syllabus and pasted below) to grade the fictional students.

Include the grade you would assign and explain why.

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| **#** | **Name** | **Original**  **Post** | **By Friday** | **Replies** | **Total**  **Grade** | **Rationale** |
| 1 | Donald  Duck | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | Not easy to follow, no replies to others, was posted on Saturday and did not answer the questions fully. Did not really have conversation starters in this response because it was so incoherent. |
| 2 | Hermione  Granger | 5 | 1 | 4 | 10 | Quality post on all fronts, posted by Friday, and had meaningful replies to both students. Discussion of the human factors resulting in the failures is her conversation enabler. Hermione, as usual, is the model post for the discussion board. |
| 3 | Luke  Skywalker | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | Answered all the questions but was not easy to follow. Only 1 reply to a student and it was not meaningful in anyway. Did not post by Friday as well, and since it was posted late on Sunday it does not really allow for a conversation to be started around his post. |
| 4 | Leslie  Knope | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Plagiarized material from the lesson. Instant zero. |
| 5 | Tyrion  Lannister | 4 | 1 | 4 | 9 | Excellent quality of the initial post but could have been a little easier to follow, posted on Thursday, and had meaningful replies to others. Like Hermione, the human factors resulting in the failures are his conversation enabler. |

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| **Quality of**  **Initial Post** | 5:  All 5 of the following:  (1) Initial post by Sunday,  (1) Answers all items in question,  (1) Good application of course content,  (1) Meaningful connections,  (1) Easy to follow | 4:  4 of the 5 criteria satisfied | 3:  3 of the 5 criteria satisfied | 2:  2 of the 5 criteria satisfied | 1:  Initial post by Sunday (11:59 Eastern time) | 0:  No post to discussion board |
| **Initial Post**  **By Friday** | 1:  Initial post by interim deadline (Friday 11:59 pm Eastern time) | | | 0:  Initial post Saturday or Sunday | | |
| **Replies** | 4:  All 4 of the following:  (1) reply to 1 student,  (1) reply to 1st student is meaningful,  (1) reply to 2nd student,  (1) reply to 2nd student is meaningful  *NOTE: reply in 2 different student threads, not initial post thread, not replies to 2 students in 1 thread* | | 3:  3 of the 4 reply criteria satisfied | 2:  2 of the 4 reply criteria satisfied | 1:  Reply to 1 student in their thread (not initial post thread) | 0:  No replies |

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