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Activity # 3 Writing a response or reaction paper

Please read the article: Western Science and Traditional Knowledge by Fulvio Mazzocchi and make a response or reaction paper. Use the information in the pdf attached entitled "The writing process" as a guide in writing your reaction paper.

RUBRIC FOR MAKING A RESPONSIVE OR REACTION PAPER

How to grade your responsive or reaction paper

1. First paragraph (summary of the article) - (5 points) Do not just copy from the internet.
2. Second paragraph - separate reactions, your opinion or opinion based on related articles or journals (cite as your references) (10 points)
In your reaction emphasize the following viewpoints:
 - The importance of traditional knowledge for the protection of biodiversity;
 - Comparisons between Western science and traditional knowledge systems;
 - Dialogue as a tool for social cohabitation.
3. 3rd paragraph (Short concluding paragraph) - this will outline the main points of the essay, usually will leave the reader with a moral or lesson of some kind related to the topic (5 pts)

For further information please refer to the PDF on Guidelines- **How to write a Responsive or Reaction paper.**