Discussion Forum Post Rubric

Criteria	Level 3 3 points	Level 2 2 points	Level 1 1 point
Criterion 1 - Format	Post contains no errors in grammar, punctuation, spelling, or word choice. AND Post contains no more than 300 words.	Post contains errors in grammar, punctuation, spelling, or word choice. OR Post exceeds the 300-word maximum.	Post contains errors in grammar, punctuation, spelling, or word choice. AND Post exceeds the 300-word maximum.
Criterion 2 - On Topic	Post responds to all facets of the question.	Post responds to some facets of the question.	Post does not respond to the question.
Criterion 3 - Course Material	Post ties in relevant course material.	Post partially ties in relevant course material.	Post does not tie in relevant course material.
Overall Score	Level 3 8 or more	Level 2 5 or more	Level 1 0 or more