

Honors Lesson H1.01 Grading Rubric

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	Excellent	Above Average	Average	Needs Improvement
Words and Phrases	9–10 points The student has conducted an interview with an appropriate individual and collected three examples of words or phrases with clear, detailed explanations of what they mean.	8 points The student has conducted an interview with an appropriate individual and collected three examples of words or phrases with basic explanations of what they mean.	7 points The student has conducted an interview with an appropriate individual and collected three examples of words or phrases.	6 points The student has not conducted an interview and collected three examples of words or phrases. The student should seek feedback from his or her instructor.
Current Language	9–10 points The student has identified similar meanings for current words and phrases and has clearly connected	8 points The student has identified similar meanings for current words and phrases.	7 points The student has identified current words and phrases with possible connections to the words and phrases collected from	6 points The student has not identified current words and phrases. The student should seek feedback from his or her instructor.

	these meanings to the words and phrases collected from the interview.		the interview.	
Demonstration of Understanding	9–10 points The student has written an explanation of understanding gained from the interview process, detailing the evolution of language in clear terms with examples.	8 points The student has written an explanation of understanding gained from the interview process, detailing the evolution of language.	7 points The student has written an explanation of understanding gained from the interview process.	6 points The student has not written an explanation of understanding gained from the interview process. The student should seek feedback from his or her instructor.
Clarity of Submission	9–10 points The assignment is easy for the instructor to grade/view/hear.	8 points The assignment is easy for the instructor to grade/view/hear, with only minor errors.	7 points The assignment is mostly easy for the instructor to grade/view/hear, with several errors.	6 points The assignment is not easy for the instructor to grade/view/hear, with many errors. The student should seek feedback from his or her instructor.

**Grammar
and
Spelling**

9–10 points

The student
has
respected
language
conventions
where
necessary.

8 points

The student has
respected **most**
language
conventions where
necessary.

7 points

The student
has respected
some
language
conventions
where
necessary.

6 points

The student has
respected **few**
language
conventions
where necessary.