

Yes	No	Sort of	Bare Minimums
			I have a intro with a clear thesis statement.
			I maintained a formal tone and style throughout my paper.
			I organized my paper into paragraphs.
			I used transitions to connect my ideas.
			I analyzed the development of <u>at least</u> one theme in the novel.
			I analyzed the use of <u>at least</u> one literary element/technique in the novel and how it contributes to a theme.
			In every paragraph, I include at least one quotation from the text to support my main point.
			My quotations are formatted according to MLA formatting guidelines.
			I can connect my ideas from every paragraph back to my thesis statement.
			I have a concluding paragraph that reiterates and wraps up the claims I made in the paper.
			My spelling and grammar is flawless.

Peer Edit:

1. Who is editing this paper? **Write your first and last name HERE**_____

2. Use the proofreading symbols and abbreviations listed on the back of this sheet to correct grammatical and spelling errors.

3. Does the essay make sense? Choose three of the following prompts and give the writer some positive and constructive feedback by writing in the margins of their paper.

- You supported your point with textual evidence when you wrote...
- I cannot see the connection between your thesis and the part where you wrote...
- You really connected a literary element/technique with a theme when you wrote...
- A smoother way to transition to your next idea is...
- I would change the part where you.....
- I am wondering if your paper might be stronger if you.....