

Assignment One Objectives	Exemplary (2 points)	Acceptable (1 point)	Unsatisfactory (0 points)	Points
<p>Q. 1: Write a paragraph that describes the topic area and reflects upon what the student already knows about the topic, including any opinions or preconceptions.</p>	<p>Write at least 2-3 sentences that clearly identify the topic area and what you already know about the topic. Include a discussion of your preconceptions or opinions and how they may affect your research process.</p>	<p>Write at least 2-3 sentences that identify the topic area and what you already know about the topic, but without discussing your preconceptions or opinions and how they may affect your research process.</p>	<p>Does not write at least 2-3 sentences</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Does not complete either part of the assignment adequately.</p>	<p>/2</p>
<p>Q. 2: Write a paragraph that discusses initial questions about the topic area or issues that possibly might need to be investigated to learn more about the topic.</p>	<p>Write at least 2-3 sentences that discuss at least two questions or issues that you need to investigate.</p>	<p>Identify fewer than two questions or issues to investigate. OR Provide a list of questions without analysis or discussion.</p>	<p>Does not write at least 2-3 sentences</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Does not complete either part of the assignment adequately</p>	<p>/2</p>
<p>Q. 3: Write a paragraph discussing where information about the topic might be found.</p>	<p>Write at least 2-3 sentences analyzing where you might look for information about the topic area, with <u>specific examples</u> of types of sources you might use -- or disciplines and/or professional groups that might be writing about your topic.</p>	<p>Write at least 2-3 sentences analyzing where you might look for information about the topic area, with <u>specific examples</u> of types of sources you might use -- or disciplines and/or professional groups that might be writing about your topic.</p>	<p>Does not write at least 2-3 sentences, or complete either part of the assignment adequately.</p>	<p>/2</p>
<p>Total Points for Assignment 1</p>				<p>/6</p>