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| **RACES RUBRIC** | 3 pts | 2 pts | 1 pt | 0 |
| Restate | Question is clearly restated/reworded in the response. The reader knows what to expect. | There is a good attempt to restate, and is partially understandable | The question is restated partially, but it is not clear Response begins with “Because”, “So”, or “That”. | No attempt to restate the question |
| Answer | The question is answered fully and correctly, clearly showing what is asked.  | The answer is partly correct, does not show a clear understanding | Answer has nothing to do with the question | No attempt made  |
| Cite | At least two direct quotes are provided and they are cited correctly.  | Two pieces of evidence are included and are partially cited correctly **-OR-** have one direct quote and is cited correctly | One piece of evidence is provided but weakly support the answer. | No citations or examples are provided. |
| Explain | The explanation supplies reasoning which strongly supports the answer. | The explanation attempts to supply reasoning and is mostly clear. | The explanation is weak in explaining the relationship of evidence and text | There is no attempt at an explanation. |
| Summary | The summary statement clearly ties the paragraph together. | The summary statement weakly ties the paragraph together. | The summary statement does not tie the paragraph together. | There is no attempt at a summary. |