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The **A video project** makes an compelling argument that is persuasive which demonstrates creativity and skills gained throughout the project process. Critically, the A video project not only demonstrates a concerted effort on the part of the student but a well-developed project that communicates successfully through various media types.

Persuasiveness in Argument	You present an interesting, thoughtful argument.
Relevance: Does your project make compelling, well-supported links to course themes?	You draw on specific, insightful examples documented in your sources, and thoughtfully explain these in relationship to your larger argument.
Creativity: Does your project demonstrate creativity in using audio, video, and images?	Your project is creative and compelling, and takes full advantage of the possibilities of multimodal communication.
Written Communication: Is your project well written?	Your script is well written with a well-organized structure, a logical presentation of ideas, and clear and precise language.
Visual Communication: Does your video demonstrate a range of visual techniques?	Your video is constructed with careful attention to aesthetics, composition, and communication.
Digital Literacy: Does your project demonstrate a mastery of the digital tools employed?	Your project is polished with audio, video, and images to tell a compelling story.
Professionalism & Attention to the Project Guidelines:	You've completed all of the required aspects of the course deadlines. Including but not limited to creating posts, meetings with the faculty member, rough drafts, etc.

The **high B video project** has similar components to an A video project but is hindered by clarity, analysis, structure, and use of technology in the project. Overall, a student receiving a high B developed a project that is well-executed but has a simplier argument and less variety in technology/media.

Persuasiveness in Argument	Mostly, you present a clear overview of your argument.
Relevance: Does your project make compelling, well-supported links to course themes?	Mostly, you use concrete, relevant examples from your sources, and clearly explain how they relate to your larger argument.
Creativity: Does your project demonstrate creativity in using audio, video, and images?	Mostly, your project demonstrates a creative use of multimedia elements but does not fully take advantage of the aspects of multimodal communication.
Written Communication: Is your project well written?	Mostly, your script is well-organized, with minor issues of clarity and/or language.
Visual Communication: Does your video demonstrate a range of visual techniques?	Mostly, your video demonstrates a range of visual techniques.
Digital Literacy: Does your project demonstrate a mastery of the digital tools employed?	Mostly, you show a good command of digital tools to communicate your ideas.
Professionalism & Attention to the Project Guidelines:	You've completed all of the required aspects of the course deadlines. Including but not limited to creating posts, meetings with the faculty member, rough drafts, etc.

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The **B** video project addresses the overall assignment and attempts to create a compelling project with a complex argument. The B video project, though, is hindered by clarity, analysis, structure, use of technology, and overall execution of the project.

Persuasiveness in Argument	Your argument is lacking in clarity, analysis, and overall structure but a strong attempt was made to provide one.
Relevance: Does your project make compelling, well-supported links to course themes?	You use a limited varity of sources and examples. Sometimes the connections to course themes are not always apparent.
Creativity: Does your project demonstrate creativity in using audio, video, and images?	Your project utilizes a number of audio, video, and images but they lack in variety. Your project could have demonstrated greater creative use of these elements within the project.
Written Communication: Is your project well written?	Overall, your script is well written but in areas it is hindered by the structure, the presentation of ideas, and your language.
Visual Communication: Does your video demonstrate a range of visual techniques?	Your video overall is satisfactory in details in aesthetics, composition, and communication.
Digital Literacy: Does your project demonstrate a mastery of the digital tools employed?	Your project could have used finer details in utilizing audio, video, and images to tell a compelling story.
Professionalism & Attention to the Project Guidelines:	You've completed all of the required aspects of the course deadlines. Including but not limited to creating posts, meetings with the faculty member, rough drafts, etc.

The **low B video project** demonstrates an effort to address the overall assignment but the argument is underdeveloped and is overall laking in analysis and interpretation.

Persuasiveness in Argument	Your argument is underdeveloped and is overall lacking in analysis and interpretation.
Relevance: Does your project make compelling, well-supported links to course themes?	You draw on some specific examples documented in your sources but it lacks the interpretation to explain these in relationship to your larger argument.
Creativity: Does your project demonstrate creativity in using audio, video, and images?	Your project demonstrates some creativity but does not take full advantage of the possibilities of multimodal communication.
Written Communication: Is your project well written?	Your script overall is logical but often jumps from one point to the next. The argument is simplistic and demonstrates a predicable structure.
Visual Communication: Does your video demonstrate a range of visual techniques?	Your video demonstrates some visual techniques but otherwise is basic.
Digital Literacy: Does your project demonstrate a mastery of the digital tools employed?	Your project attempts to make a compelling story but the project demonstrates a lack of mastry of the tools in multiple areas.
Professionalism & Attention to the Project Guidelines:	You've completed most of the required aspects of the course deadlines but have missed one or two assignments.

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The **C** video project demonstrates a satisfactory effort but lacks in argumentation and the other required aspects of the assignments.

Persuasiveness in Argument	Somewhat, you present interesting examples, but the presentation is not fully developed or clear.
Relevance: Does your project make compelling, well-supported links to course themes?	Somewhat, you use some examples from your sources to support your narrative.
Creativity: Does your project demonstrate creativity in using audio, video, and images?	Somewhat, the use of audio and video are straightforward with little incorporation of the aspects of multimodal communication.
Written Communication: Is your project well written?	Somewhat, there are some significant writing issues that make the communication of your ideas less effective.
Visual Communication: Does your video demonstrate a range of visual techniques?	Somewhat, the composition of your piece could be stronger.
Digital Literacy: Does your project demonstrate a mastery of the digital tools employed?	Somewhat, there are issues which undermines the effectiveness of your project.
Professionalism & Attention to the Project Guidelines:	Somewhat, you're missing more than 3 of the deadlines and the required assignments.

The **D/F video project** fails to address the project assignment. The F project especially fails to meet all of the requirements

Persuasiveness in Argument	No, your project doesn't really respond to the assignment prompt.
Relevance: Does your project make compelling, well-supported links to course themes?	No, the link between your sources and your narrative is less clear.
Creativity: Does your project demonstrate creativity in using audio, video, and images?	No, there are significant missed opportunities to strengthen your project.
Written Communication: Is your project well written?	No, there are significant writing issues that undermine the communication of your ideas.
Visual Communication: Does your video demonstrate a range of visual techniques?	No, your video does not take advantage of the visual possibilities.
Digital Literacy: Does your project demonstrate a mastery of the digital tools employed?	No, you have significant technological issues that demonstrate a lack of mastery which weakens your project.
Professionalism & Attention to the Project Guidelines:	No, your assignments are incomplete and/or compiled primarily during the last weeks of the semester.