Evaluation criteria

A -free of major or frequent grammatical and spelling mistakes  
 -well organized

-correct use of **all** in-text citations and works cited page

-clear introduction, body, and conclusion

-display of original thought

-well written

-shows an obvious commitment to doing a good job

-stands out from other papers

B -most of the points covered in A grade, but not quite as original or well written

-shows promise

-correct use of all in-text citations and works cited page

C -A competent discussion of major points

-displays some grammatical and spelling problems

-writing displays a decent effort, but could use some improvement

-attempted use of in-text citations and works cited page

F -serious grammatical and/or spelling problems

-little effort made

-no attempt of in-text citations or works cited page