Beginner/Intermediate Writing (30%)

Student's Name: ........................................... Date:....................

Topic/Assignment #: .................................. Total points earned: ____/30

I. Communication (20%)
1. Very little is comprehensible (poor organization, coherence, cohesion) 1 2
2. Generally comprehensible but needs interpretation 3 4 5
3. Completely comprehensible (without interpretation, more points for adequate use of connectors, logical sentences) 6

II. Content/ Information/ Completion of task (20%)
1. Little information is conveyed 1
2. Only basic information is conveyed 2 3
3. Most information is present (minor points left out) 4 5
4. Answer is complete (incorporated all information required) 6

III. Vocabulary (20%)
1. Inadequate 1
2. Some word choice is wrong 2 3
3. Vocabulary appropriate but not impressive 4 5
4. Vocabulary is broad, precise, impressive 6 (impressive: constant accurate use of lexicon; awareness of register and style)

IV. Grammar (30%)
1. Very little of basic structures, systematic problems with agreement, prepositions, use of determiners and word order 1 2
2. Shows control of some basic structures, still problems with word order, prepositions, agreement and use of determiners 3 4 5
3. Solid control of sentence patterns and basic structures 6 7
4. Excellent control of grammatical structures and use of complex sentence patterns (subordination, coordination) 8 9

V. Mechanics (10%)
1. Frequent spelling errors; many errors of punctuation, 1
capitalization, accent marks, exclamation/question marks, ñ, etc.
2. Sporadic spelling and mechanics problems 2
3. Near perfect spelling and mechanics 3

Additional comments: ____________________________________________________________________________
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