Sample Excerpted Grading Rubrics

Example from Academic Bridge Reading/Writing/Research – Recommendation Report

Source Documentation
___ good balance of paraphrases and quotes (fewer quotes than paraphrases!)
___ evident use of own words in paraphrases
___ documentation provided for all ideas that require source attribution
___ appropriate source documentation within the report, in APA format
___ appropriate Reference citations at the end of the report, in APA format

Example from Advanced Reading/Writing/Research – International Cooperation Research Paper

Use of Sources:
______ You accurately and effectively paraphrased ideas from your sources.
______ You used quotations appropriately and accurately.
______ You used reporting signals (verbs, expressions) to separate your source ideas from your own analysis.
______ You gave credit to sources through reporting signals, in-text citations, and a works cited page.

Formatting:
You formatted the following components of the paper according to the guidelines:
___ MLA Style citations of source material
___ MLA Style works cited list