

## Unit Assessment 2

## Explanatory Paragraph of AP Exam Multiple-Choice Question

Compose a well-developed paragraph in which you use the subject of the assigned AP Exam multiple-choice question and its correct answer to support the rhetorical purpose of the text. Begin with a topic sentence that clearly states central idea and asserts the focus of your paragraph. Provide multiple pieces of well-integrated and apt evidence from throughout the text (not isolated to the question or answer), and clearly explain how each piece of evidence supports your topic sentence, including discussion of figurative and connotative meaning of specific words and phrases. Use appropriate language of rhetorical appeals and devices and precise college-level vocabulary throughout your analysis.

<b>STANDARDS</b>	<b>Advanced</b>	<b>Proficient</b>	<b>Partially Proficient</b>	<b>Not Proficient</b>
	<b>100</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>40</b>
<b>ELACC11-12RL2:</b> Determine theme or central idea of text and analyze the development over the course of the text.				
<b>ELACC11-12RL1:</b> Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inference drawn from the text, including determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.				
<b>ELACC11-12RL4:</b> Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone, including words with multiple meanings. <b>ELACC11-12L5:</b> Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.				
<b>ELACC11-12L6:</b> Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level				
<b>ELACC11-12W4:</b> Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization (including focused topic sentence), and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.				
<b>ELACC11-12L1&amp;2:</b> Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.				

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