

Ardennes News Article

Category	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Emerging
Content	Clearly summarizes and analyzes the key points of the battle. Sharp analysis of documents.	Sufficiently summarizes the key points of the battle. Includes some analysis of documents.	Summarizes some points of the battle, but leaves out some key points. Superficial analysis of documents.	Summary has many holes. Little or no analysis of documents.
Use of Sources	Includes useful information from/reference to all or all but one of the sources.	Includes information from/reference to six or seven sources.	Includes information from/reference to four or five sources.	References fewer than four sources. Student uses little information from the sources.
Conventions	Less than three grammatical errors. Sharp writing skills. Good transitions between paragraphs.	Three grammatical errors. Writing style and organization of thoughts are acceptable.	Four or five grammatical errors. Clear struggle with style and organization.	More than five grammatical errors. Poor organization, poor writing style, little grasp of conventions.