

MGT 600 Short Paper Rubric

Guidelines: All short paper assignments must follow these formatting guidelines: double spacing, 12-point Times New Roman font, one-inch margins, and at least two resources using [APA citations](#). Page length requirements: 2–3 pages.

Critical Elements	Exemplary (100%)	Proficient (90%)	Needs Improvement (70%)	Not Evident (0%)	Value
Main Elements	Includes all of the main elements and requirements and cites multiple examples to illustrate each element	Includes most of the main elements and requirements and cites many examples to illustrate each element	Includes some of the main elements and requirements	Does not include any of the main elements and requirements	25
Inquiry and Analysis	Provides in-depth analysis that demonstrates complete understanding of multiple concepts	Provides in-depth analysis that demonstrates complete understanding of some concepts	Provides in-depth analysis that demonstrates complete understanding of minimal concepts	Does not provide in-depth analysis	20
Integration and Application	All of the course concepts are correctly applied	Most of the course concepts are correctly applied	Some of the course concepts are correctly applied	Does not correctly apply any of the course concepts	10
Critical Thinking	Draws insightful conclusions that are thoroughly defended with evidence and examples	Draws informed conclusions that are justified with evidence	Draws logical conclusions, but does not defend with evidence	Does not draw logical conclusions	20
Research	Incorporates at least two scholarly/technical resources effectively that reflect depth and breadth of research	Incorporates at least two resources effectively that reflect depth and breadth of research	Incorporates at least one resource that reflects depth and breadth of research	Does not incorporate scholarly resources that reflect depth and breadth of research	15
Articulation of Response	Submission is properly cited, free of errors related to citations, grammar, spelling, syntax, and organization and is presented in a professional and easy-to-read format	Submission has no major errors related to citations, grammar, spelling, syntax, or organization	Submission has major errors related to citations, grammar, spelling, syntax, or organization that negatively impact readability and articulation of main ideas	Submission has major errors related to citations, grammar, spelling, syntax, or organization that negatively impact readability and articulation of main ideas	10
Total					100%