

Writing in Physics Rubric

❑ COMPOSING/WRITTEN EXPRESSION				
	Up to 10 pts	Up to 7 pts	Up to 5 pts	Up to 3 pts
<p>ORGANIZATION AND UNITY</p> <p><i>Things for you think about</i></p> <p>* Did you answer the question?</p> <p>* How did you go about answering the question?</p> <p>* Are your ideas clear as to what you are talking about?</p> <p>* Does your paper flow?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❑ Effective introduction ❑ Follows a logical organizational plan ❑ Evidence and reasons are organized logically ❑ Maintains a consistent point of view ❑ Uses transitions effectively to connect ideas within and across paragraphs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❑ Adequate introduction ❑ Evidence of an organizational plan ❑ Evidence and reasons are organized logically ❑ Point of view may shift occasionally but does not distract the reader ❑ Uses transitions effectively to connect ideas within and across paragraphs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❑ Weak introduction ❑ Inconsistent organizational plan ❑ Lack of unity ❑ Shifts in point of view ❑ Limited or inconsistent use of transitions within and across paragraphs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❑ No introduction ❑ Fails to organize ideas ❑ Lacks unity ❑ Shifts in point of view ❑ Absence of transitions connecting ideas
<p>EVIDENCE AND DETAILS</p> <p><i>Things for you to think about</i></p> <p>* What concrete examples/details do I give to answer the question?</p> <p>* All examples/details need to be expanded on.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❑ Contains precise and relevant evidence (examples, reasons, events, details) supporting purpose ❑ Details clarify and defend the writer's position; fully and clearly elaborates ideas. ❑ Shows how evidence supports each main point ❑ Provides justification of how the evidence supports the claims 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❑ Contains adequate evidence (examples, illustrations, reasons, events, and/or details) supporting purpose and audience ❑ Some details clarify and defend the writer's position, minor lapses in elaboration ❑ Some evidence that supports the main point ❑ Limited justification of how the evidence supports the claims 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❑ Contains limited evidence (examples, illustrations, reasons, events, and/or details) supporting purpose ❑ Few details clarify or defend the writer's position ❑ Ideas may be a list of general, underdeveloped statements 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❑ Contains little or no evidence (examples, illustrations, reasons, events, and/or details) supporting purpose little or no elaboration ❑ List of general unrelated statements