

## ECE 250: TOPIC PAPER RUBRIC

RATING CRITERIA		RATING STANDARDS			WEIGHTED SCORES AND COMMENTS	
		POOR (0-1)	FAIR (2-3)	DISTINGUISHED (4-5)		
1.	Describe the characteristics of the families and community where you are teaching.	Little to no information provided on characteristics of the families and community where student is teaching.	Brief description of the characteristics of the families and community where student is teaching.	Thorough and detailed description of the characteristics of the families and community where student is teaching.	X 2 =	
2.	Describe how the characteristics might influence your teaching approaches in this setting.				X 2 =	
3.	Provide appropriate examples of how to support and empower families through respectful, reciprocal relationships.	No examples provided of how to support and/or empower families and communities through respectful, reciprocal relationships.	Some examples provided of how to support and empower families and communities.	Provides detailed examples of how to support and empower families and communities through respectful, reciprocal relationships.	X 2 =	
4.	Provide appropriate examples of how to support communities through respectful, reciprocal relationships.				X 2 =	
5.	Identify appropriate ideas for involving families in their child's development and learning.	Little to no information provided on how to involve families and the community in their child's development and learning.	Some ideas shared on how to involve families and the community in their child's development and learning.	Provides appropriate ideas for involving families and the community in their child's development and learning.	X 2 =	
6.	Identify appropriate examples for involving the community in children's development and learning.				X 2 =	
7.	Written Mechanics: Organization and sentence structure; grammar, punctuation, and spelling.	Poor organization and/or sentence structure; poor grammar, punctuation and/or spelling throughout paper.	Some errors in sentence structure, grammar, punctuation and/or spelling.	Well written report. Thoughts are expressed clearly in well organized paragraphs. There are few, if any, grammatical and/or spelling errors.	X 1 =	
8.	Source citations: In-text citations and works cited page are in proper MLA format.	Works cited page not included; missing proper in-text citations	Incomplete works cited page and/or lacks some in-text citations	Complete works cited page in proper MLA format submitted; appropriate in-text citations throughout paper	X 1 =	
9.	Report prepared using word processing software	Paper not typed	Paper typed; poor page layout	Paper typed; proper page layout	X 1 =	
OVERALL COMMENTS:				TOTAL SCORE =		
				PERCENT SCORE = SCORE / 90 =		
				NUMBER OF POINTS EARNED = PERCENT SCORE X 50 =		