## **Journal Entry Rubric**

|                    | Always<br>4 points                         | Sometimes 3 points                                     | Often<br>2 point                                       | Never<br>1 point                 | Totals |
|--------------------|--|--|--|----------------------------------|--------|
| Focus              | The entire entry is focused on one topic.  | Most of the entry is focused on one topic.             | Some of the essay is focused on one topic.             | The essay is not focused at all. |        |
| Support            | Every idea is supported with detail.       | Most ideas are supported with detail.                  | Some ideas are supported with detail.                  | None of the ideas are supported. |        |
| Organization       | Essay is organized in a meaningful manner. | Most of the essay is organized in a meaningful manner. | Some of the essay is organized in a meaningful manner. | The essay is not organized.      |        |
| Creativity         | Essay is well thought out and interesting. | Essay is interesting for the most part.                | Some of the essay is interesting.                      | The essay is not interesting.    |        |
| <b>Grand Total</b> |  |  |  |                                  |        |