



MysteryQuest 25

Evaluation Materials 2 (Rubric)

Assessing the Justification

| | Outstanding | Very good | Competent | Satisfactory | In-progress |
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| Identifies the reasons for | Identifies the most important evidence <i>for</i> the conclusion. | Identifies most of the important evidence <i>for</i> the conclusion. | Identifies some relevant and important evidence <i>for</i> the conclusion. | Identifies very little relevant evidence <i>for</i> the conclusion. | Identifies no relevant evidence <i>for</i> the conclusion. |
| Identifies the reasons against | Identifies the most important evidence <i>against</i> the conclusion. | Identifies most of the important evidence <i>against</i> the conclusion. | Identifies some relevant and important evidence <i>against</i> the conclusion. | Identifies very little relevant evidence <i>against</i> the conclusion. | Identifies no relevant evidence <i>against</i> the conclusion. |
| Offers plausible justification | Offers a thoughtful and highly plausible justification why the selected conclusion is the most reasonable. | Offers a clear justification why the selected conclusion is the most reasonable. | Offers a somewhat plausible justification why the selected conclusion is the most reasonable. | Offers a barely plausible justification why the selected conclusion is the most reasonable. | Offers an implausible justification why the selected conclusion is the most reasonable. |