

Rubric for Unit 3: Disability in the News

Criterion	Excellent	Good	Fair
Participation	Fully engaged in individual and collaborative activities and all tasks completed.	Engaged in individual and collaborative activities.	Limited engagement.
Creativity	Expressive details and original use of artistic forms and principles in topical writing or related creative project.	Solid details and use of creative forms in topical art/writing project.	Limited details and use of creative forms in topical art/writing project.
Understanding	Accurate comprehension and application of material covered in the lesson.	Comprehension and application of material covered in the lesson.	Limited comprehension of material covered in the lesson.
Language and Vocabulary	Thoughtful and expressive use of language and appropriate literary style in selected writing assignments.	Good use of expected vocabulary, language and appropriate literary style in selected writing assignments.	Limited use of expected vocabulary, language and appropriate literary style in selected writing assignments.
Conventions	Consistent and effective use of conventions.	Understanding and use of conventions.	Limited use of conventions.