8th Grade American History

Robinson

Chapter 5 News Article – Rubric

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ The student wrote a news article that used complete sentences, correct capitalization and punctuation, and was free of grammatical and spelling errors. It is apparent that the student proofread their work carefully (10 points possible)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ The student told the **whole** story. Anyone reading this story would have a good idea as to the event that is being reported. The student included the basic key facts (W’s and H) and gave sufficient supporting detail, perhaps even quoting an eyewitness or expert.

( 15 points possible)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ The student wrote the story as if they were living in the time period of the story and followed all other directions. The student demonstrated an overall good effort. (5 points possible)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ out of 30 possible points \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Letter Grade