## **Dystopian Literature Final Assessment Task**

Ponder the worlds of <u>Fahrenheit 451</u> and your choice novel. Choose three dystopian characteristics, which these stories have in common, and that you find particularly troubling. In a five-paragraph essay, compare how these characteristics are developed in your choice novel and in <u>Fahrenheit 451</u>. Of the two, which society is the most dehumanizing? Why? Be sure to <u>explain</u>, using text details (you don't need direct text evidence) to support your analysis and understanding. Type your essay in MLA Format.

Your essay will be assessed on the following criteria:

	1-2	3-4	5-6	7-8
A: Analyzing	i. provides minimal identification or explanation of the content and structure; does not explain the relationships among texts	i. provides adequate identification and explanation of the content and structure; gives some explanation of the relationships among texts	i. provides substantial identification and explanation of the content and structure; explains the relationships among texts	i. provides  perceptive identification and explanation of the content and structure; explains the relationships among texts thoroughly
	ii. provides <b>minimal</b> identification and explanation of the effects of the creator's choices on an audience	ii. provides adequate identification and explanation of the effects of the creator's choices on an audience	ii. provides substantial identification and explanation of the effects of the creator's choices on an audience	ii. provides perceptive identification and explanation of the effects of the creator's choices on an audience
	iv. interprets few similarities and differences in features between texts	iv. interprets some similarities and differences in features between texts	iv. competently interprets similarities and differences in features between texts	iv. perceptively compares and contrasts features between text
B: Organizing	ii. organizes opinions and ideas with a minimal degree of coherence and logic	ii. organizes opinions and ideas with <b>some</b> <b>degree of</b> <b>coherence and</b> <b>logic</b>	ii. organizes opinions and ideas in a coherent and logical manner with ideas building on each other	ii. effectively organizes opinions and ideas in a coherent and logical manner with ideas building on each other in a sophisticated way
	iii. makes <b>minimal</b> use of referencing and formatting tools	iii. makes <b>adequate</b> use of referencing and formatting tools	iii. makes competent use of referencing and formatting tools	iii. makes <b>excellent</b> use of referencing and formatting