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Social Media Analysis Tool

Social Media Platform							
Post account name							
Post media (image, video, text, etc)							
Screenshot or link							
Directions: Read or observe your post. Complete each section below.							
Message: What is being said in this post?	? (What is it about? Think of the who, what, when, where, why)						
Evidence:							
Purpose and Context: Who is being represented? How? For what purpose? (What is the author trying to make you think? Is there a negative or positive perspective about the issue and people? When and where was this written? Does the when and where change your thoughts on the topic?)							
Evidence:							

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Speaker and Audience: Who is saying it? Who does the author want to hear the message? (Who is funding this post?)	ì
Evidence:	

Reflection: Can you trust the information you read in this article? Explain why or why not. Is this information different from the Pulitzer reporting?

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MYP Language Acquisition: Criterion B: Reading: ii.analyse conventions & iii.analyse connections.

Score	1-2	3-4	5-6	7-8
Level descriptor	iii.identifies basic connections in complex authentic texts.	iii.identifies basic connections in complex authentic texts.	iii.interprets connections in complex authentic texts.	iii.analyses connections in complex authentic texts.
%	69%-50%	79%-70%	89%-80%	100%-90%
On this task	iii. Identifies the basic meaning of social media posts using MAPS-C = analysis tool is completed with summaries.	iii. Identifies the basic meaning of social media posts using MAPS-C = complete analysis tool some speculations without evidence.	iii. interprets social media posts using MAPS-C =complete analysis tool includes both interpretations with evidence and some speculations without evidence.	iii. Analyzes a news article using MAPS-C = complete analysis tool includes interpretations with evidence in all sections.

MYP Language Acquisition: Criterion D: Writing: i.use a wide range of vocabulary

Score	1-2	3-4	5-6	7-8
Level descriptor	i.uses a limited range of vocabulary	i.uses a basic range of vocabulary	i.uses a range of vocabulary	i.uses a wide range of vocabulary
%	69%-50%	79%-70%	89%-80%	100%-90%
On this task	i. Limited range - does not connect rhetorical analysis to evidence from a news article	i. Basic range - connects rhetorical analysis to evidence from a news article with little explanation	i. Range = connects rhetorical analysis to evidence from a news article post with some complete explanations	i. Wide range = connects rhetorical analysis to evidence from a news article with complete explanations

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