

Discussion Board Postings Rubric:

Throughout the unit you will complete 4 Discussion Board Postings. Review each to see what you are being asked to do and complete each with exceptional detail and depth of thought. Also, in order to achieve a Level 4, you will need to comment on other student's posts and review and possibly respond to comments you receive.

Criteria	Level 1 (50 – 59%)	Level 2 (60 – 69%)	Level 3 (70 – 79%)	Level 4 (80 – 100%)
Knowledge Do you demonstrate knowledge of various aspects of Brave New World?	You demonstrate a limited understanding of themes, characters and literary criticisms.	You demonstrate some understanding of themes, characters and literary criticisms.	You demonstrate a considerable understanding of themes, characters and literary criticisms.	You demonstrate a thorough understanding of themes, characters and literary criticisms.
Thinking Do you analyze aspects of Brave New World?	You use limited evidence from the novel in your responses.	You use some evidence from the novel in your responses.	You use considerable evidence from the novel in your responses.	You use a variety evidence from the novel in your responses.
Communication Do you contribute effectively to class discussions on Brave New World?	You complete 3 of 4 posts.	You complete 4/4 posts with some detail.	You complete 4/4 posts with considerable detail.	You complete 4/4 posts with significant detail and at times respond to other student's posts with critical thought.
Application Do you apply learning in the unit to the novel Brave New World?	Your application of theme and literary criticism is limited.	Your application of theme and literary criticism is somewhat detailed.	Your application of theme and literary criticism has considerable thought.	Your application of theme and literary criticism very well thought-out and unique in its application.