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1.03 Columbian Exchange Essay Rubric

Total Points: 50

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|  | **Excellent** | **Good** | **Fair** | **Needs Improvement** | **Your Score and Comments** |
| **Content** | Provides a clear and accurate response to the question.  Ideas are elaborated, with **three or more** relevant supporting details from the lesson materials.  (40 points) | Provides an adequate response to the question.  Topic and ideas are generally well organized, with **two** relevant supporting details from the materials in the lesson.  (30 points) | Provides a generally accurate response, with **one** supporting detail from the materials in the lesson.  (20 points) | Provides an inaccurate response to the question or fails to address the question.  May include misinterpretations.  Understanding of the topic is not apparent.  (10 points) | **/ 40 points** |
| **Vocabulary** | Uses **at least three** vocabulary words (or a form of the vocabulary words) from the lesson and uses them all correctly. (10 points) | Uses **two** vocabulary words (or a form of the vocabulary words) from the lesson and uses them both correctly.  (8 points) | Uses **one** vocabulary word (or a form of the vocabulary word) from the lesson and uses it correctly.  (5 points) | Does **not** use any vocabulary words or uses vocabulary words incorrectly.  (0-4 points) | **/ 10 points** |
| **Overall Score:** | | | | | **/ 50 points** |