

RUBRIC FOR POLITICAL CARTOON: Choice ONE

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	The political cartoon clearly illustrates causes of Indian conflicts, or the attitudes of the settlers and soldiers toward the Indians.	The political cartoon barely illustrates causes of Indian conflicts, or the attitudes of the settlers and soldiers toward the Indians.	The political cartoon does not illustrate causes of Indian conflicts, or the attitudes of the settlers and soldiers toward the Indians.
	A creative and original image that clearly illustrates the topic	An original image that illustrates the topic.	A sloppy image that does not portray the topic.
	Includes dialogue, a caption, labels, or a catch phrase that demonstrates the significance of the political cartoon	Includes dialogue, a caption, labels, or a catch phrase but is irrelevant to the significance of the political cartoon	There is no dialogue, a caption, labels, or a catch phrase
	Paragraph/Cartoon has (0-1) errors in punctuation, capitalization, and spelling.	Paragraph/Cartoon has (2-3) errors in punctuation, capitalization, and spelling.	Cartoon/ Paragraph has (4 or more) errors in punctuation, capitalization, and spelling.
	Paragraph contains, topic sentence(3-4 supporting sentences) and conclusion	Paragraph is missing one (topic sentence, 3-4 supporting sentences, conclusion)	Paragraph is missing two or more(topic sentence, 3-4 supporting sentences, conclusion)
/15	Multiplied by 2= 30 points total		