

Aperture Artist Statement Rubric

Project Title:

Submission ID:

Criteria	Excellent (4)	Good (3)	Fair (2)	Poor (1)	Score (20 total)
Key Concepts	All aspects were included and clearly explained/summarized: - Introduction and explanation of key concepts behind the work - Relevant to creative work	1 aspect is missing and/or not clearly explained: Use Criteria in Excellent (4) Column		2 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained: Use Criteria in Excellent (4) Column	
Composition layout and explanation	All aspects were included and clearly explained/summarized: - 500 words or less - Analysis/interpretation of submission - Explanation of creative choices - Defines discipline-specific vocabulary	1 aspect is missing and/or not clearly explained: Use Criteria in Excellent (4) Column	2 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained: Use Criteria in Excellent (4) Column	3 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained: Use Criteria in Excellent (4) Column	
Outline of Craftsmanship	All aspects were included and clearly explained/summarized: - Explanation of choice in media - Defines discipline-specific vocabulary - Outlines process of creating the work - Thoroughly explains the research process behind the development of the creative piece	1 aspect is missing and/or not clearly explained: Use Criteria in Excellent (4) Column	2 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained: Use Criteria in Excellent (4) Column	3 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained: Use Criteria in Excellent (4) Column	
Explanation of creative/ artistic elements and principles	All aspects were included and clearly explained/summarized: - Explanation of artistic elements and principles used throughout the work			All aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained: Use Criteria in Excellent (4) Column	
Key Takeaways/ Conclusions	All aspects were included and clearly explained/summarized: - Artist's intentions of the project's direction and outcomes are clearly stated. - Creatively engages the reader - Clearly analyzes and evaluates the work. - Provides thoughtful areas of improvement.	1 aspect is missing and/or not clearly explained: Use Criteria in Excellent (4) Column	2 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained: Use Criteria in Excellent (4) Column	3 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained: Use Criteria in Excellent (4) Column	

20-19: Accept 18-13: Accept with Revisions <13: Reject Final Score____

Editorial Student Reviewer Verdict:

Additional Reviewer Comments: