

Grading Criteria	“This I Believe”
Genre Conventions	• Leverages medium/genre conventions to emphasize purpose and connect to audience.
Purpose & Audience	• Reveals major theme(s)/purpose through descriptive language, word choice, and/or genre conventions rather than explanation alone. • Where appropriate, provides background information to improve audience understanding.
Organization & Editing	• Uses formatting, grammar, and spelling that is appropriate to audience, purpose, and medium/genre.
Revision	• You have revised your work substantially and/or thoughtfully based on peer and instructor feedback.