

Tiger STEPS Synthesis Paper

Synthesis Paper: the Synthesis paper should be 2-3 pages in length, double spaced and use 12 point font (Times New Roman). This paper is meant to be completed once you have completed The Alcohol Awareness Course and Community Service. The prompt is listed below.

This paper is designed to be a culmination of everything you've learned going through this process. The following are suggestions for where to take your paper.

- *What you learned from being involved in the initial situation*
- *What you could have done different in the initial situation*
- *What you learned from the Tiger S.T.E.P.S. Alcohol Awareness Course*
- *What you learned from complete the Community Service*
- *How you plan to prevent a situation like this from happening in the future*
- *How this or a subsequent incident could affect your future plans/goals*

****Below you will find the rubric for the synthesis paper****

	4(Excellent)	3 (Good)	2 (Fair)	1 (Poor)	Total
Thoroughness	Essay addresses all the required aspects of the assignment in an organized and logical manner.	Essay addresses most of the required aspects of the assignment in an organized and logical manner.	Essay addresses some of the required aspects of the assignment but not in an organized and logical manner.	Essay addresses none the required aspects of the assignment. Essay is not organized and logical.	
Supporting Details	Essay includes numerous examples to support student's viewpoint	Essay includes some examples to support student's viewpoint	Essay includes a few examples to support student's viewpoint	Essay includes no examples to support student's viewpoint	
Demonstrated Understanding of the Assignment	Essay demonstrates thorough understanding of the assignment by synthesizing concepts from Tiger Steps class discussions.	Essay demonstrates a good understanding of the assignment by synthesizing concepts from Tiger Steps class discussions.	Essay demonstrates some understanding of the assignment by synthesizing concepts from Tiger Steps class discussions.	Essay demonstrates little understanding of the assignment by synthesizing concepts from Tiger Steps class discussions.	
Grammar, Spelling, Mechanics, and Sentence Structure	Essay is highly polished; no grammatical or spelling errors.	Essay is highly polished; maximum of one grammatical or spelling error.	Essay is adequate; maximum of two grammatical or spelling errors.	Not College level writing; Essay has more than two grammatical or spelling errors.	

You must receive a 9 or better in order for paper to be accepted