# **Content Specific Rubric: The Constitutional Convention**

#### 6-A (50-45)

The writer has thoroughly explained where and when the Constitutional Convention took place. The writer has clearly stated the purpose and results of the Philadelphia Convention. The writer has identified at least 3 important delegates who attended the Philadelphia Convention and clearly stated their significance there. The writer identified 3 major arguments debated between the delegates at the Philadelphia Convention and the resulting <u>compromises</u>. The writer has provided insightful self-reflection commenting on the success of the Constitution specifically citing 3 historical examples and specifically citing where/what parts of the Constitution were used.

## 3-D (34-33)

The writer has explained where and when the Constitutional Convention took place. The writer has stated the purpose and results of the convention. The writer has identified at least 2 important delegates who attended the Philadelphia Convention and stated their significance there. The writer identified 2 major arguments debated between the delegates at the Philadelphia Convention and the resulting compromises. The writer has provided self-reflection commenting on the success of the Constitution citing 1 historical example and relating it to the Constitution.

#### 5-B (44-40)

The writer has clearly explained where and when the Constitutional Convention took place. The writer has clearly stated the purpose and results of the Philadelphia Convention. The writer has identified at least 3 important delegates who attended the Philadelphia Convention and clearly stated their significance there. The writer identified 3 major arguments debated between the delegates at the Philadelphia Convention and the resulting compromises. The writer has provided insightful self-reflection commenting on the success of the Constitution specifically citing 2 historical examples and specifically citing where/what parts of the Constitution were used.

## 2-D (32-30)

The writer has attempted to explained where and when the Constitutional Convention took place. The writer has stated the purpose and results of the convention. The writer has identified at least 1 important delegate who attended the Philadelphia Convention and stated their significance there. The writer identified 1 major argument debated between the delegates at the Philadelphia Convention and the resulting compromises. The writer has provided self-reflection involving evaluating the success or failure of the delegates at the Philadelphia.

#### 4-C (39-35)

The writer has explained where and when the Constitutional Convention took place. The writer has stated the purpose and results of the convention. The writer has identified at least 3 important delegates who attended the Philadelphia Convention and clearly stated their significance there. The writer identified 2 major arguments debated between the delegates at the Philadelphia Convention and the resulting compromises. The writer has provided self-reflection commenting on the success of the Constitution citing 2 historical examples and where/what parts of the Constitution were used.

#### 1-F (29 or lower)

The writer did not explain where and when the Constitutional Convention took place. The writer was unable to state the purpose of the Philadelphia Convention. The writer has not identified any delegates who attended or their significance. The writer provided no meaningful self-reflection involving evaluating the process of drafting the Convention. **Content Specific Rubric: The Constitutional Convention**