Criterion	4 - Advanced	3 - Proficient	2 - Developing	1 – Needs Improvement
Presentation of Material, Format, and Style	• I did an exceptional job in the completion of the project, including the format, neatness, and flow of the letter. I went above and beyond the requirements of the project.	• I did a proficient job in the completion of the project, including the format, neatness, and flow of the letter. I adhere to the requirements of the project.	• I did an adequate job in the completion of the project, including the format, neatness, and flow of the letter. I adhere to most of the requirements of the project.	• I made several mistakes in the format, neatness, and flow of the letter. I did not adhere to the requirements of the project.
Analysis	 I meet all of the level 3 requirements, and I expand on my argument to identify the serious future societal impacts for my issue if something is not done. I consistently use well- thought out analysis and use the most appropriate data and evidence to support my claim. 	 I created a thorough argument that addresses all of the necessary requirements. I support my argument with well-thought out analysis and use appropriate data and supporting evidence 	 created a very basic claim/argument that did not fully support the issue or meet the necessary requirements support my argument with basic analysis and sometimes use appropriate data and supporting evidence. 	 I recall, organize, or locate basic facts, ideas, or principles, but didn't create a solid argument of my own. I identify specific information relative to the unit, but fail to analyze.
Application	 I meet all of the level 3 requirements, and I make a prediction about the future of Japanese society (and the world) relating to my issue from multiple perspectives: if it <u>IS</u> dealt with if it is <u>NOT</u> dealt with 	 I provide specific current evidence to support claims. I provide cited factual evidence as proof of the seriousness of the issue I discuss the role of public opinion, and thoroughly explain its direct impact on this issue. 	 provide little evidence to support my claim. y explanation is confusing or only partially shows understanding of the big idea. discuss the role of public opinion, but don't explain its direct impact on this issue. 	 My work has an explanation, but limited evidence of real world examples to support claims I only list information rather than connect to enduring understanding. I don't consider the role that public opinion plays.
Synthesis / Transfer	 I meet all of the level 3 requirements, and Go above and beyond by tackling this issue from a world perspective, considering its impact (economic, environmental, and societal) on not just Japan and my life, but on the world as a whole. 	 I create an argument that is able to take into consideration all of the various issues (economic, environmental, and societal) and synthesize that information in order to create a cohesive argument. I explain how this issue will impact my life and the world. 	 I create an argument that is able to take into consideration most of the various issues (economic, environmental, and societal) and am able to synthesize that information in order to create a cohesive argument. I briefly explain how this issue will impact my life and the world. 	 I create an argument that doesn't take into consideration all of the various issues (economic, environmental, and societal) and am unable to synthesize that information in order to create a cohesive argument. I don't explain how this issue will impact my life and the world.

* Any "0's" in a category will indicate that the expectations of the assignment were not sufficiently attempted.