

CIVIC ENGAGEMENT - SCORING GUIDELINES

DEFINITION: Civic engagement encompasses actions to promote the quality of life in a community, through both political and non-political processes.

Descriptors	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Level 0
	Proficient: Demonstrates in-depth understanding of the process or concept. Minor errors or mistakes may be present but do not impede understanding.	Developing Proficiency: Demonstrates foundational understanding of the process or concept, but misconceptions impede in-depth understanding.	Beginning Proficiency: Demonstrates beginning understanding of the process or concept.	Not Proficient: Does not demonstrate understanding.	No submission
1. INCLUSIVENESS: Demonstrate an ability to engage respectfully with others in a diverse society					
2. APPLY KNOWLEDGE: Apply knowledge from one's own study and experiences to active and ethical participation in civic life					
3. DEMONSTRATION OF CIVIC IDENTITY AND COMMITMENT: Provide evidence of experience in and reflection on civic engagement activities					
4. CIVIC COMMUNICATION: Communicate and listen to others in order to establish personal and professional relationships to further civic action					
5. ENGAGEMENT IN CIVIC ACTION AND REFLECTION: Demonstrate the ability to deliberate and collaborate on issues and problems to achieve a civic aim					