Meeting Needs and Wants

As a citizen and member of a community, you need to have an understanding of different economic systems. You will analyze the methods that societies use to meet the economic needs and wants of citizens.

Your Task

In a cohesive paper or presentation, you will:

- State a claim regarding how two groups met their needs and wants. You should include an analysis of how the two groups' approaches are similar or different.
- □ Present the background on your claim, including:
 - An explanation of how the rights, values, and/or beliefs of both groups have affected their economic choices.
 - Two or more specific examples (at least one example for each group).
- Provide reason(s) for your position, including an analysis of one or more significant similarities or differences related to the groups' ways of meeting their needs and wants.
- □ Refer explicitly in the paper or presentation to three or more credible sources that provide relevant information:
 - Cite your sources when you draw information from them: for instance, when you summarize, paraphrase, or quote, and when you refer to facts, figures, and ideas.
 - Provide complete publication information for each source in your bibliography or list of works cited.

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| Claim/Position | I stated a claim regarding how two groups met their needs and wants; I included: An analysis of how the two groups' approaches are similar or different. A general statement of how these groups' ex- periences help us understand a current issue or event. | I stated a claim regarding how two groups met their needs and wants and included an analysis of how the two groups' approaches are similar or different. | I stated a claim regarding how two groups met their needs and wants, but I did not analyze how the two groups' approaches are similar or different. | I stated a claim that is vague, implausible, or inaccurate. |
| Concepts | I provided background on the claim by: Explaining how rights, values, and/or beliefs of both groups have affected their economic choices: I included two examples (at least one for each group). AND Utilizing the concept of opportunity cost to ex- plain how the groups met their needs and wants. | I provided background on the claim by explaining how rights, values, and/or beliefs of both groups have affected their economic choices: I included two examples (at least one for each group). | I provided background on the claim by explaining how the groups' rights, values, and/or beliefs have affected their economic choices: I included one example. | I described the ways the groups met their needs and wants, but I included no specific examples. |
| Evidence/Reasoning | I provided reason(s) for the claim, supported by evidence; my reasoning includes: An analysis of signifi- cant similarities and/or differences related to their ways of meeting their needs and wants. Three or more examples. | I provided reason(s) for the claim, supported by evidence; my reasoning includes: An analysis of signifi- cant similarities and/or differences related to their ways of meeting their needs and wants. Two examples. | I provided reason(s) for the claim, supported by evidence; my reasoning includes: An analysis of signifi- cant similarities and/or differences related to their ways of meeting their needs and wants. One example. | I provided reason(s) for the claim, but in- cluded no supporting evidence. OR I provided an in- accurate analysis of significant similarities and/or differences related to their ways of meeting their needs and wants. |

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| Sources | I referred explicitly in the paper or presentation to four or more credible sources that provide relevant information. | I referred explicitly in the paper or presenta- tion to three credible sources that provide relevant information. | I referred explicitly in the paper or presenta- tion to two credible sources that provide relevant information. | I referred explicitly in the paper or presentation to one credible source that provides relevant information. |
| ELA Citations | I properly cited sources in the paper, presentation, and bibliography, using a specific format. | I adequately cited sources in the paper, presentation, and bibliography. | I minimally cited sources in the paper, presentation, and bibliography. | I incorrectly cited sources in the paper, presentation, and bibliography. |

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