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Literature Response Blog Rubric

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CATEGORY	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2	Level 1	Level 0
Answered prompt/ question	You show a complete understanding of what you have read and stick to the topic.	You show a good understanding of what you have read and mostly stick to the topic.	You show some understanding of what you have read, but you go off topic a little.	You tried, but it is difficult to tell from what you wrote whether you understand the story.	You typed nothing on your blog.
Connections	You go beyond the story to connect it to what you have learned and/ or explain why you agree or disagree with the story.	You tell more than just the story and can match it with something that is not in the story.	You use the story to connect to what you already know or have seen, but your explanations are limited or incomplete.	You copied the part of the story that answered the question.	You did not make any connections in your blog with the story.
Examples	You use examples and can tell how they match things you know about; what you think about the story is clearly written.	You use examples from the story, some of your own experiences, and other things you have read or seen.	You use only examples from the book but nothing from your own life.	Your blog response had nothing to do with the story.	Your blog response had nothing to do with the prompt or the story.
Conventions	Punctuation, grammar, and spelling are correct.	Punctuation, grammar, and spelling are mostly correct.	Punctuation, grammar, and spelling have a few mistakes.	It is difficult to read your blog post because of mistakes in punctuation, grammar, and spelling.	You did not complete a blog response at all.

Total points: _____ / 16

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