

# Memorializing African-American Sacrifice Rubric

	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Emerging
<b>Explanation of design</b>	Explanation of the design element is consistent with how the design element is used in the cemetery.	Explanation of the design element is mostly consistent with how the design element is used in the cemetery.	Explanation of the design element is somewhat consistent with how the design element is used in the cemetery.	Explanation of the design element is entirely inconsistent with how the design element is used in the cemetery.
<b>Justification for the design</b>	Describes why the design is worthy and how it represents African-Americans' sacrifice. Explanation is detailed and shows original thought.	Describes why the design is worthy and how it represents African-Americans' sacrifice.	Description includes a partial explanation of why the design is worthy.	Description does not include an explanation of why the design is worthy.
<b>Design quality</b>	Design is drawn neatly and clearly with appropriate labels and texts, or the explanations is clearly written and understandable. Plan reflects either advanced artistic ability, critical thinking, or both.	Design is drawn neatly and clearly with appropriate labels and texts, or the explanations is clearly written and understandable.	Design or written material is not neat, is difficult to understand, or is incomplete.	Design has no discernable connection to the themes of the activity in submitted materials.