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Andrew Jackson: Hero or Villain?
Personal Opinion Essay

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Opinion	The author's opinion is unclear and impossible to identify	The author's opinion is unclear and difficult to identify	The author's opinion is somewhat clear and easy to identify	The author's opinion is clear and easy to identify
Persuasive Techniques	The author does not support his/her argument with any historically accurate details.	The author affectively supports the argument by supporting his/her opinion with at least 1 historically accurate detail.	The author affectively supports the argument by supporting his/her opinion with at least 2 historically accurate details.	The author affectively supports the argument by supporting his/her opinion with at least 3 historically accurate details.
G.U.M. (Grammar, Usage, Mechanics)	There are more than 4 grammatical, spelling, capitalization or punctuation mistakes.	There are 3- 4 grammatical, spelling, capitalization or punctuation mistakes	There are 1-2 grammatical, spelling, capitalization or punctuation mistakes	There are no grammatical, spelling, capitalization or punctuation mistakes
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