CONTINUITY AND CHANGE COMPARATIVE

DOCUMENT-BASED

Basic Core (Competence)	Points	Basic Core (Competence)	Points	Basic Core (Competence)	Points
1. Has acceptable thesis. (Addresses the global issues and the time period specified)	1	1. Has acceptable thesis. (Addresses comparison of the issues or themes specified)	1	1. Has acceptable thesis.	1
2. Addresses all parts of the question, though not necessarily evenly or thoroughly	2	2. Addresses all parts of the question, though not necessarily evenly or thoroughly.	2	2. Understands the basic meaning of the documents. (may misinterpret one document)	1
(Addresses most parts of the question: for example, addresses change but not continuity)	(1)	(Addresses most parts of the question: for example, deals with differences but not similarities)	(1)		
3. Substantiates thesis with appropriate evidence.	2	3. Substantiates thesis with appropriate evidence.	2	3. Supports thesis with appropriate evidence from all or all but one	2
(Partially substantiates thesis with appropriate evidence)	(1)	(Partially substantiates thesis with appropriate evidence.)	(1)	documents. (Supports thesis with appropriate evidence from all but 2 documents)	(1)
4. Uses relevant world historical context to explain change over time/continuity	1	4. Makes at least three relevant, direct comparisons between or among societies.	1	4. Analyzes point of view in at least two documents.	1
5. Analyzes the process of change over time and continuity (Tells why things are continuous and why changes have	1	5. Analyzes at least three reasons for a similarity or difference identified in a direct comparison.	1	5. Analyzes documents by grouping them in two or three ways, depending on the question.	1
occurred)				6. Identifies and explains the need for one type of appropriate additional document or source.	1