

**Holy Cross Academy**  
**National Junior Honor Society Essay Evaluation Rubric**

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| 1. Fulfills basic requirements as to length and format.                | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 2. Addresses and stays on topic.                                       | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3. Uses appropriate tone and voice.                                    | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 4. Presents ideas in an original and/or creative manner.               | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 5. Uses grade appropriate spelling and sentence structure and grammar. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

Total \_\_\_\_\_

Score: 24-25=3 20-23=2 15-19=1

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