Final Paragraph Scoring Criteria

*5 points each:*

 Narrowed focus

 Topic sentence tells reader what your paragraph is about

 Topic sentence grabs reader’s attention

 Body includes specific details with evidence

 Everything in body relates to the topic sentence

 Concluding sentence summarizes without repeating information

 Concluding sentence offers new insight or is forward looking

 Proper writing conventions (spelling, grammar, punctuation)

 Draft and peer edit scoring sheet(s) turned in

 Presentation (ink and cursive or typed, margins, layout)

 points earned

 50 points possible

