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| Main opinion and recommendation | The introduction of the review gives the main idea of the review, including a focused opinion, and the conclusion of the review includes a recommendation for readers. |  | The review includes a main opinion at the beginning and a recommendation at the end, but they lack focus. |  | The review does not have the main opinion early or a recommendation at the end. |
| Reasons | The review includes at least three reasons for main opinion, each covering different aspects of the subject. |  | The review only has two reasons, or the three or more reasons only cover two aspects of the subject. |  | The review only looks at one aspect of the subject. |
| Comparison | The review uses comparisons to show expertise on the topic reviewed and put the subject in context of similar things. |  | The reviewer makes a comparison in the review, but it doesn’t show knowledge of that area or show how the subject compares to similar things. |  | The review does not use any comparisons. |
| Description | The review uses detailed description to back opinions and show what the reviewer’s experience was like. |  | The review has some description, but it only occasionally includes detail. |  | The review does not use description. |
| Mechanics | The paper is free of errors in spelling, grammar and punctuation. |  | The paper has enough errors to distract the reader and reduce the writer’s credibility. |  | The review has enough errors to make the paper hard to read and understand. |