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Economic Disempowerment Paragraph

Write a paragraph describing how the newcomers affected the First Nations of Canada – use the sheet you completed titled *Comparing the Aboriginal to the European Newcomers* for information that will help you support your topic. You will need a topic sentence that will introduce your paragraph (what is the paragraph about), three sentences to support your topic sentence (give detail), then one closing sentence to sum up your thoughts. Use the graphic organizer as a first draft, then write a good copy on a separate piece of paper, using either the back of this sheet or type then email to your teacher.

Assessment Rubric: Paragraph



	Excellent (4)	Proficient (3)	Satisfactory (2)	Limited (1)
Main Topic/Idea	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> main topic/idea is clearly stated in the beginning and rephrased at the end 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> main topic/idea is clearly stated in the beginning but not rephrased at the end 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> main topic/idea is implied but not clearly stated 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> main topic/idea is unclear
Supporting Details	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> paragraph has many detail sentences to support the main idea 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> paragraph has some detail sentences to support the main idea 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> paragraph has few detail sentences to support the main idea 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> paragraph has no detail sentences to support the main idea
Organization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> paragraph is well-organized with smooth transitions paragraph has a logical, effective progression 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> paragraph is well-organized paragraph has a logical progression 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> paragraph is somewhat organized paragraph has a somewhat logical progression 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> paragraph is disorganized or confusing paragraph does not have a logical progression

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