

MGT323 - Weekly Participation (including discussions)
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	Points Possible			
Category	Below Expectations 1	Meets Expectations 3	Exceeds Expectations 5	Points Earned in Category
*Promptness and Initiative	Responds to postings from peers and/or faculty several days after initial discussion or late; limited initiative; and responds to posts late in the module/week.	Responds to most postings made by peers and/or faculty within a 32 hour period; requires occasional prompting to post; and initiates discussion with suitable time for classmates to reply.	Consistently responds to postings made by peers and/or faculty in less than 24 hours; demonstrates good self-initiative; and initiates discussion early in the module/week.	/5
Quality of Writing	Spelling and grammatical errors throughout posts.	Few spelling and grammatical errors in posts.	Consistent use of correct grammar and spelling.	/5
Relevance of Post	Occasionally posts off of discussion topic(s) or does not relate and most posts are short in length with little substance and offer no further insight into the discussion topic(s).	Mostly posts items that are related to the discussion and required learning material and provide further insight into discussion of topic(s).	Consistently posts items related to the discussion and required learning material; almost always provide further insight into discussion of topic(s); and includes and cites additional references related to topic(s) for consideration.	/5
Expression Within the Post	Unclear connection to topic(s) as evidenced in minimal expression of opinions or ideas.	Opinions and ideas are stated clearly with occasional lack of connection to discussion topic(s).	Expresses opinions and ideas in a clear and concise manner with obvious connection to the discussion topic(s).	/5
*Contribution to the Learning Community & Sensitivity Towards Others Views	Fails to make meaningful reflection on group's efforts; marginal or no effort to participate in learning community as it develops; and conveys antagonistic attitude toward view of colleagues, or ignores view(s).	Attempts to direct the discussion and to present relevant viewpoints for consideration by group; interacts freely; and acknowledges views of others and conveys respect for those views.	Aware of needs of community; frequently attempts to motivate the group discussion; presents creative approaches to topic; conveys open-mindedness and respect for the views of colleagues; and seeks the views of others.	/5
Total Participation Points (Sum of Each Category):				/25

**Some discussion posts may indicate a certain quantity of replies. Points may be deducted from these categories and overall participation if the minimum requirements are not satisfied as the discussion instructions indicate.*