

Rubric for political cartoon

Name _____

Total: _____/50

	Full Credit	Partial Credit	No Credit
Presentation _____/10	Drawing is pleasing to the eye and the audience is fully able to decipher the characters and the meaning of the cartoon.	There is some confusion to what message the artist is trying to portray to the audience. The cartoon has a draft quality to the artistry.	The cartoon has no meaning to the audience. The quality of the drawing is poor and unpleasing to the eye of the audience.
Content _____/25	The cartoon portrays an issue or event that is relevant to the current campaign. The message is clear to the audience and the artist's opinion is clearly apparent.	The artist partially understands the issue or event portrayed in the cartoon. The message is not well developed and confusing to the audience.	The issue is not relevant to the campaign and the cartoon does not portray an opinion.
Use of techniques _____/15	The cartoon correctly utilizes two techniques mentioned on the political cartoon worksheet and accurately uses techniques to portray the message to the audience.	The cartoon partially utilizes the techniques needed. The techniques are not clear to the audience.	The cartoon does not utilize the techniques mentioned in the worksheet from the Library of Congress.