

# Assignment: Opinion Editorial

## A SCOTUS Case – Editorial Assignment

Please write an editorial opinion piece to be sent to your local newspaper on a recent case that is being argued in the current term of the Supreme Court. In this opinion editorial, you will advocate for a particular decision that you think the majority of the Supreme Court justices should agree with. You will provide a constitutional analysis backing your opinion.

**You will write an OpenLab post with your opinion editorial. Other students will be able to comment on your post.**

**Assignment:** 500 words (1 page). See this helpful guide on how to write an editorial: <https://www.geneseo.edu/~bennett/EdWrite.htm>

This assignment will be assessed using the rubric below:

CATEGORIES	EXPERT	PROFICIENT	APPRENTICE
The introduction is interesting, clear, and leads to the thesis.	18-20	17-14	13-11
The thesis is stated completely in the first paragraph.	18-20	17-14	13-11
Thoughts are presented in a logical manner.	18-20	17-14	13-11
The editorial is generally organized and easy to follow.	18-20	17-14	13-11
Has supporting evidence with sources correctly cited.	18-20	17-14	13-11