

Student name:

	Very successful	Acceptable	Problematic	Unsuccessful
Makes clear, focused central claim that is debatable (and thus in need of defending)				
Each body paragraph has analytical topic sentence stating the paragraph's main claim				
Focuses on a close reading of short passages of verse (10-20 lines)				
Analysis explains how the evidence supports each claim				
Analysis rooted in careful, thorough attention to detail of literary texts				
Uses appropriate MLA documentation of sources				
Is generally free from errors in Standard Written English				

2-3 main suggestions: