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Scoring Rubric for a Virtual Tour

| Requirement | Student Check | Possible Points | Earned Points |
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| 1. Name of the website. | | 1 | |
| 2. If a museum, name of the exhibit. | | 1 | |
| 3. The theme and time period of the site/exhibit. | | 1 | |
| 4. Based on Jim Kapoun's article, <i>Five Criteria for Evaluating Web Pages</i> , write a well written one paragraph summary of the website. Include the overall theme(s) and the layout/presentation of the site. | | 4 | |
| 5. The website is about a historical site. When did this site become a historic site? In other words, when was the museum/monument/exhibit created and/or the house interpreted? How did that time differ from present day? | | 4 | |
| 6. Who sponsored the site? Did the sponsor influence the presentation of the site? If so, how? If not, give evidence to support your answer. | | 3 | |
| 7. Who was/is the intended audience for the site? | | 1 | |
| 8. What values are conveyed by the site? | | 3 | |
| 9. Is the site inclusive? Are all voices represented? If so, how? If not, give evidence to support your answer. | | 4 | |
| 10. There are many interpretations to a story. How would this site be different if another group presented it? | | 4 | |
| 11. Are there problematic words/symbols at the site that would not be used today? If so, provide examples. | | 3 | |
| 12. Is the site accurate? If yes, what evidence can verify the site? If no, explain. | | 4 | |
| 13. If you were a curator designing this site what would you change? Explain your response. | | 4 | |
| 14. Give one item that you were add or remove from the site. Explain your choice. | | 4 | |
| 15. Would you recommend visiting this site to a friend? Explain your answer. | | 4 | |
| 16. Evidence – You included a print out of one page from the site. The page includes the URL and date you viewed the website. | | 2 | |
| 17. You used correct spelling, proper grammar and punctuation, and correct language usage. | | 3 | |
| Total | | 50 | |