Assessment Rubric: Historical Significance

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	Not yet within expectations	Minimally Meets Expectations	Fully Meets Expectations	Exceeds Expectations
Identifies relevant evidence Insightful	☐ Identifies little or no evidence for each criterion. ☐ Explanations show little or no	☐ Identifies a few pieces of obvious evidence for each criterion. Some evidence may be irrelevant, vague, inaccurate and/or overlooked. ☐ Explanations show obvious	☐ Identifies many relevant pieces of evidence for each criterion. Overlooks some important considerations. ☐ Explanations show some	☐ Identifies key pieces of evidence for each criterion. Evidence is insightful, detailed, and highly relevant. ☐ Explanations show deep insight into how
	insight into the events, people or developments.	insights into the events, people or developments but may not be linked clearly to the bigger picture, various perspectives or context of the times.	insight into how the events, people or developments fit into the bigger picture, various perspectives or context of the times.	the events, people or developments fit into the bigger picture, context, various perspectives, and context of the times.
Ranking	☐ No plausible justification is given for any of the assigned rankings.	☐ Justification for each ranking touches upon some key factors. However, some key factors are overlooked.	☐ Justification for each ranking is plausible and touches upon many key factors.	☐ Justification for each ranking shows thoughtful consideration of the most important factors.

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