Rubric for Open Response

SCORE 4

You complete all important components of the question A and B and communicate ideas clearly. You demonstrate in-depth understanding of Kentucky's resources during the Civil war and how these resources made Kentucky an important state in the Civil War.

You make these connections by demonstrating complex thought processes between the two questions.

Where appropriate, you offer insightful interpretations and extensions of thought on the two questions.

SCORE 3

You complete the most important components of question A & B linking Kentucky and its resources during the Civil War.

You communicate your answers clearly.

You demonstrate an understanding of major concepts even though you overlook or misunderstand some less important ideas or details.

SCORE 2

You complete some important components of question A & B and communicate those components clearly.

You demonstrate that there are gaps in your conceptual understanding.

SCORE 1

You show minimal understanding of the question. You address only a small portion of the question.

SCORE 0

Your answer is totally incorrect or irrelevant.

BLANK--You did not give any answer at all.