

# Technology of 1984

## Extension Assignment Rubric

### Check Items

| Description  | Points | Comments                   | Grade |
|--|--------|----------------------------|-------|
| The basic plot of <i>1984</i> is correctly described.  | 40     |                            |       |
| A telescreen is defined.   | 10     |                            |       |
| A comparison between a telescreen and a smart TV is presented.   | 10     |                            |       |
| A comparison between a telescreen and a cell phone is presented.   | 10     |                            |       |
| Parallels between modern life and the life of party members and/or proles in <i>1984</i> are discussed.      | 10     |                            |       |
| Some ways that a government can use detailed information about people to control or repress them are given.  | 10     |                            |       |
| Comparisons between the surveillance state in <i>1984</i> and the modern surveillance economy are presented. | 10     |                            |       |
| <b>MAXIMUM GRADE:</b>  | 100    | <b>Hypothetical Grade:</b> |       |

### Grade

| Calculation Algorithm   | Your Grade |
|---|------------|
| If Hypothetical Grade $\geq$ 70 then enter Hypothetical Grade<br>Else enter 0 | x          |

A grade of 85 or higher is required to be able to continue onto the Challenge Assignment. As a result, you MAY [NOT] submit a Challenge Assignment in this course.

### Remarks

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