

Criteria	Excellent (4-5)	Good (3)	Fair (2)	Poor (0-1)
1. Understanding of Hardware Types (5)	Clearly and accurately explains input, output, and storage devices with examples.	Mentions and explains most device types with minor errors.	Only some device types mentioned, vague explanations.	Little to no understanding shown.
2. Impact on Efficiency (5)	Thorough explanation of how hardware improves user productivity (e.g., faster printers, high-resolution monitors, etc.).	Some examples of how hardware affects efficiency are provided.	Few or unclear links between hardware and productivity.	No clear explanation or examples.
3. Health and Environmental Issues (5)	Detailed discussion on ergonomics and green computing practices with examples.	Mentions both aspects with basic explanation.	Only one aspect is discussed or lacks clarity.	Lacks or misunderstands both areas.
4. Structure and Clarity (3)	Well-structured essay with clear introduction, body, and conclusion; coherent arguments.	Clear organization but some lapses in flow or clarity.	Basic structure present but ideas may be disjointed.	Poorly structured or hard to follow.
5. Language Use and Terminology (2)	Uses relevant technical terms accurately and effectively throughout.	Some use of correct terminology, though inconsistent.	Limited use of terminology; some inaccuracies.	Incorrect or no use of technical language.