Debate

There are many strong arguments that can be made to suggest that Ellen or Paul is most responsible for the suffering and problems that occur in Sinclair Ross' "The Lamp at Noon". Likewise, there are many strong arguments that can be made to suggest that Mr. or Mrs. Creighton is most responsible for the suffering and problems that occur in Frederick Philip Grove's "The House of Many Eyes". With a large group (of three to five students), choose one of the two stories and read through it several times and write down evidence from the text about specific character's words and actions that may be to blame for the negative events that occur. Work cooperatively with your group members to direct a debate. Everyone is responsible for taking on a role of a character and defending themselves from other character's accusations and making accusations against others. One final mark will be given to all group members.

I	Emerging / Developing	Proficient	Extending
Connections		Creates connections between ideas with a broad and clear understanding.	
Elements & Devices		Analyzes literary elements and devices with accurate and detailed reasoning.	
Perspectives		Explains perspectives with a logical and justified interpretation.	
Writing & Design		Applies writing and design strategies to organize a progression of ideas.	