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Rubrics

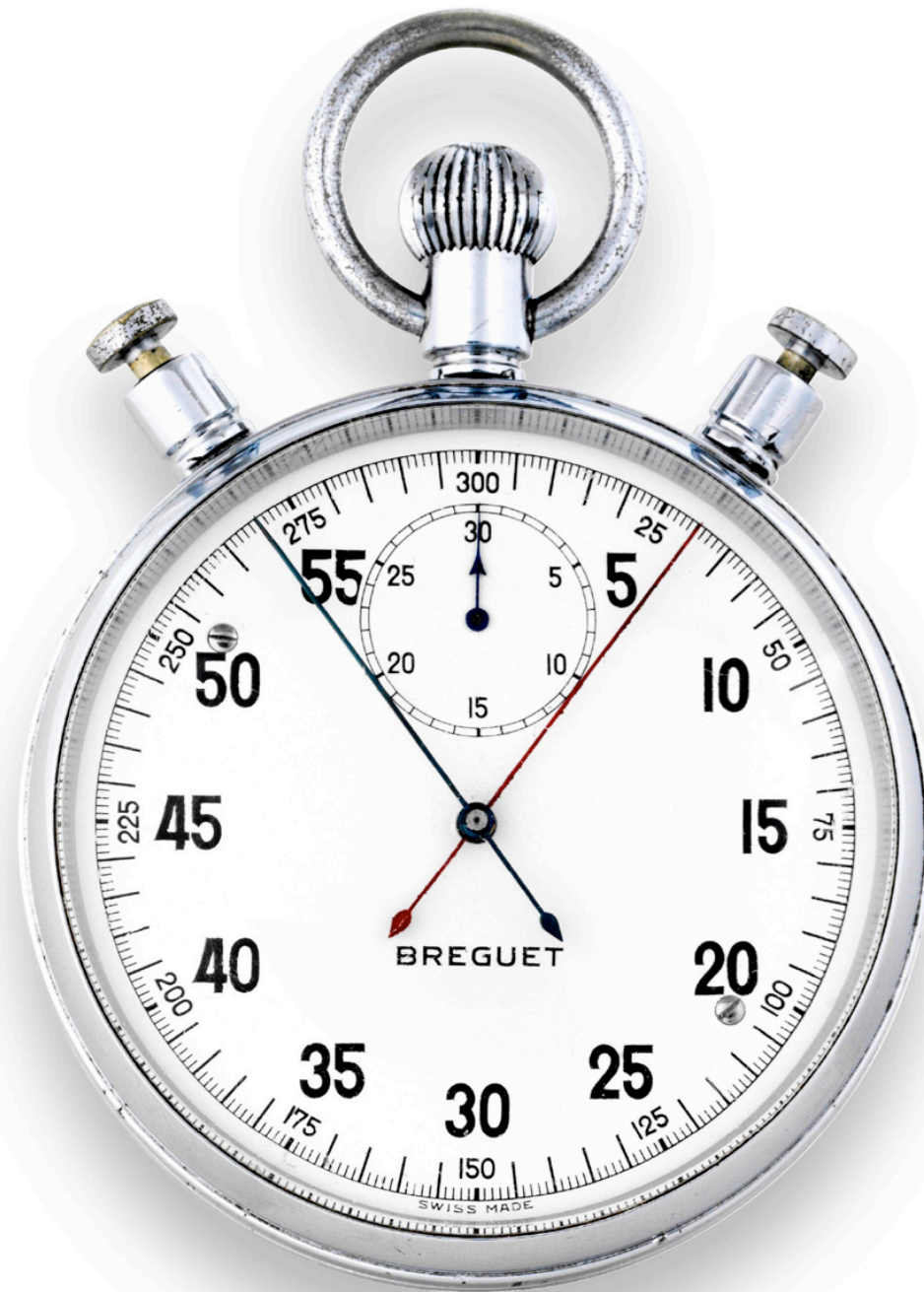
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I. Something traditionally written in **red**, and related uses.



What do rubrics have to do with college success?

Students “need a clear sense of the distance they will be expected to travel intellectually.”

David Conley

Big Idea

Rubrics are not just scoring aids, they are important college readiness tools.



Rubrics

What is an OnRamps rubric?




A table outlining teacher predictions of student performance in a number of dimensions.

A table of college-level expectations around content and skill.

Anatomy of a Rubric

1. Title
2. Task
3. Ratings
4. Criteria or dimensions

Anatomy of an OnRamps Rubric

Fabulous Rubric						  
Criteria	Ratings					Pts
Fabulousness	Absolutely fabulous 5 pts	Mostly fabulous 4 pts	Somewhat fabulous 3 pts	Could be fabulous if they had more time 2 pts	Points for effort only, no fabulousness 1 pts	5 pts
Total Points: 5						

Exercise 1: The rubric check list

How do you know if you need a rubric?

Exercise 2: Rate your thanksgiving dinner

Exercise 3: Rate your thanksgiving dinner, again

Exercise 4: Add a dimension

Rubrics and college readiness

1. Clear sense of the distance students need to travel
2. Lay out the criteria required for college-level credit
3. Build college-level academic behaviors (self-monitoring, accuracy and precision)
4. Signals students where to direct their practice through fine grained feedback
5. Build college work habits (follow directions and procedures independently)
6. Build problem solving skills showing students how to break down large tasks into smaller parts

Rubric Do's and Dont's

1. Do provide your students rubrics ahead of time
2. Do discuss rubrics with students in class
3. **Don't** turn a 5 point rubric into a 50 point rubric
4. Do use qualitative comments to differentiate feedback where the rubric isn't precise enough.

Bonus: Use rubrics to develop scholarly relationships, have students score themselves and each other using the rubric and back up their scores with evidence.