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You can earn this grade:	If your posts meet these requirements:
"A" Message Board Work (90-100%):	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Posted on time and in time for others to read & respond; 2. Thoughtful, comprehensive (answered all parts of the question) responses with specific references to concepts from the book and other outside resources (citations included) 3. Responded to and engaged with at least 2 classmates (asking and answering questions, highlighting themes, adding to conversation- not just "I agree" comments)
"B" Message Board Work (80 -89%):	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Posted on time and in time for others to read & respond; 2. Thoughtful responses with some general references to concepts from the book and other outside resources 3. Responded to and engaged with at least 1 classmate (asking and answering questions, highlighting themes, adding to conversation- not just "I agree" comments)
"C" Message Board Work (70-79%):	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Posted on time & in time for others to read & respond; 2. General, opinion based responses that were not connected to concepts from book or other outside resources 3. Minimal ("I agree" with no rationale about why) or no interaction with peers
"D" and "F" Message Board Work:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Did not contribute to conversation or posted after due date. 2. Contributions very vague, general and brief; did not add new ideas to the conversation; 3. No reference to concepts from book or other outside resources

Message Board Tips and Etiquette:

- Be prepared before you participate- read the textbook, etc. and other responses before you add your own.
- This is a conversation- there is no need to repeat what has already been said. Instead, add another example, ask a question, or make a new connection. React and respond to your classmates. We're all in this together!
- While this is a conversation, you should write as you would for any college level assignment, proofreading what you post. Campus Cruiser does have a spellcheck available in the posting box, and you can edit your response after it has been posted if you notice a typo or error after you post.