Third Writing Assignment: Rough Draft and Rough Draft Workshop
MMW 14, 15, and 122

Length: 6-10 pages
Rough draft due and workshop groups formed: Week 8, in section
Rough draft workshops: Week 9, in section

During Week Nine, you and the other students in your section will be working in small
groups to revise your rough drafts. Most of the grade you will receive for the third
assignment will depend on your participation in the rough draft workshop. Please note
that you must participate in a workshop in order to get credit for completing the rough
draft assignment. It is crucial that you arrive in section on time in Weeks Eight and Nine
so that the workshops can be successful.

You will earn full credit for the rough draft assignment if you:

• Give a copy of your rough draft to each member of your workshop group on the due
date. Failure to get copies of your rough draft to your group members before
the workshop date will result in an Incomplete for the assignment and an F for
the course. Your draft must be 6 to 10 pages long (not counting the list of works
cited, which you must include with your rough draft), and should be as complete and
as polished as possible.
• Write substantial comments on the draft of each member of your group. (Follow the
   Rough Draft Workshop Guidelines, which are posted on the MMW website.)
• Arrive on time to section and participate actively in the workshop.

Please remember that this assignment, like all assignments written for MMW,
must adhere to all of the guidelines set out in the MMW Program Policies. In
particular, make sure that you cite all of your sources correctly, just as you will in
your final draft. This assignment, the third of four writing assignments, will be
worth 5% of your final grade. You must complete all four writing assignments in
order to pass the course. Remember to keep all copies of this assignment (that is,
the copies with your peers’ comments); you will be required to turn in a portfolio
containing all of the assignments at the end of the quarter.