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Reflection

In the beginning of college, the most important thing that I was stressing was my writing. I was told that it was the most important aspect of college. I understood how to articulate thoughts in my head and write it on paper, but if another person were to read it, it would be incomprehensible. I believe that I have grown a lot throughout this semester. I think that in the first essay on Language and Literacy, it felt as if I was going on a long rant and my thoughts were scattered. As I was speaking about my experiences with language, it was something that developed over long periods of time and because of that it was hard to understand the most effective way to convey that. Over the next essay, I believe that I have gotten much better when it came to explaining the author's choices and connecting them to my overall thesis about rhetorical analysis. Understanding rhetorical analysis as a whole, helped me tremendously when writing the final research paper. I was trying to convey to the audience why The Law of Attraction is beneficial. In order to do this, I needed to persuade my audience that my thesis was correct. In order to do this, I took advantage of logos. In my second essay, I used Amy Tan's example of logos and used it to help me form my own argument for my research paper. Overall, I definitely think my writing can improve in terms of syntax, vocabulary, and overall consistency throughout.