

Summer 2024: Revising Artifact 1

macro-level revisions

Macro-level revisions are revisions that impact your project as a whole.

1. State your claim in your own words:
2. Review your conclusion to see if the claim is restated or emphasized
3. Do you believe you gave sufficient evidence for your claim?
4. How did you achieve ethos?
5. Look at your A1 placements on the Common Feedback Chart, explain one, and note a few things you might want to do to improve it.

mid-level revisions

Mid-level revisions impact a specific section of your paper and impact how well that section serves the entire paper's goals.

Look at your first body paragraph and answer the following questions. If the answer is no, change the paragraph.

1. Does the paragraph have a clear topic sentence?
2. Does the paragraph have a clear connection to the thesis?
3. Is there at least one substantial detail from the primary text in the body paragraph?
4. Do you need to add any new body paragraphs to expand or explain your argument?

micro-Level revisions

Micro-level revisions improve the small details of your paper so that you can improve ethos, logical connections, and clarity.

1. Casual language. Review your essay for examples of [cliches](#), [casual language](#), or [idioms](#). See if you can find a stronger way to communicate your idea.

List 3 examples of something you changed:

2. Search for contractions. Find every contraction in your essay and separate it into two words. How many did you find?
3. Look for words that should be possessive. You should add an 's to any word that indicates possession. Examples:
Freddy mask → Freddy's mask
The character phobia → the character's phobia
The exorcist cross → the exorcist's cross

How many did you change?

4. Check every sentence to see if you have connected the clauses properly. Did you change any?
5. Use headphones and a voice to text program like Word's "Speak" function or [Natural Reader](#) to listen to your essay. Mark any places that do not make sense, then adjust them or consult with me for further assistance.
6. Record one grading note that you received on the first version of A1. Explain how you addressed it.

re-grade request

If you want your paper re-graded, write a formal paragraph below that includes the following:

1. An explanation of how the new version of your paper better meets your goals for the assignment.
2. A summary of the macro level changes that you made
- 3-5 examples of micro level changes that you made
4. An evaluation of where you feel your new essay falls on the [Common Feedback Chart](#)

If you have not turned in your paper, your entire paragraph for this section should be an evaluation of where you believe your paper falls on the [Common Feedback Chart](#)

If you do not want to request a new grade, skip this section. Please keep in mind that each major artifact is 20% of your grade.