

Ten Percent Summary Edited Practice Sheet

The following is a model Ten Percent Summary a student wrote of a 900 word article on team mascot names. This student received full credit on the assignment by meeting each of the three criteria.

S "T" A r t (10)

3-4 CI/own words/< 100 (80)

2+ appropriate transitional phrases (10)

1. In the New York Times Upfront article "Insult or Honor," Veronica
2. Majerol reports on the debate over using Native American names or
3. images for team mascots. Majerol describes how approximately 6,500
4. schools use Indian-themed names. Some feel the names honor Native
5. Americans, while others feel they insult them. It is expensive to change a
6. team name, mascot, or image because fans want that image. For
7. example, fans at the Atlanta Braves game do the "tomahawk chop" to
8. build spirit, but at each game there are Native Americans protesting this
9. action.

of words: 90