**Cover Page for Critique: Include the following:**

**Title: A**rticle Critique

Name of the Article and Author

Your First and Last Name:

Date Submitted:

YOUR ARTICLE MUST BE ATTACHED TO YOUR PAPER

 **CRN # 34509 MW 5:30-7:00pm Due 4/17/13**

 **CRN #34895 MW 8-10pm Due 4/17/13**

 **NO LATE PAPERS ………….**

**Format:**

Your paper must be typed in Font Style: Times New Roman or Times Roman (ONLY)

Font Size: 12 (ONLY)

Double-Space

**Minimum Pages: 4 COMPLETE pages in length**

**Maximum Pages: 6-7 Pages (Cover sheet is not part of the four pages)**

Please do NOT use essay style of writing. This is a critique, therefore I want you to type or copy and paste each title and question(s) into your paper and then answer the questions.

(Ex: Type the word “Introduction” then state your introduction etc. (exactly as I have the titles: Where applicable, type out each question and then answer them. 3

**ANALYSIS /CRITIQUE OF THE ARTICLE**

**(TWO-THREE PAGES MINIMUM**)

**(100 Points)**

**This part of the paper MUST be detailed. Use specific examples (where applicable) to clarify your discussion!**

**YOU MUST INCLUDE ALL 5 QUESTIONS.**

**Type (or copy and paste) each question and then answer i**t.

**1. What are the strengths of the article?**

**Discuss the strengths and include 2 (or more) detailed, concrete examples to support your argument(s)**

**2. What are the weaknesses of the article?**

**Discuss the weaknesses and include 2 (or more) detailed examples)**

I will **NOT** accept that there were no weaknesses. Use your critical thinking skills to analyze two concrete weaknesses of the film (Use examples to support your argument(s).

**3. What makes this article sociological?**

**Discuss what you believe makes this article sociological. Include 3 (or more) detailed examples to clarify your arguments.**

Use 3 (or more) sociological terms/concepts with examples and definitions to support your arguments) in context to what the article is about.

**Do not include the terms/concepts without relating them to the article.**

(Underline each of the three sociological terms and definitions).

**4**. **How does the issue/topic impact society? Are there specific groups impacted by this topic more than others?**

**Discus how this topic impacts society and specific groups within society**

**(include 2 or more detailed examples to support your arguments).**

**5. Which sociological perspective(s) would you use to analyze this article?**

**Structural Functionalist, Conflict, Symbolic Interactionist or a combination**

**of all three perspectives?** (Refer to Ch. 1)

**In your discussion, use concrete example(s) and explain WHY you saw the article from one, two or all three perspectives. (BE DETAILED by using examples to support and defend your position.**