Overall Analysis

HEALTH, DEVELOPMENT & HUMAN RIGHTS

Verbal Class Summary for 5 September, 2018: Rubric Student: **Normalized Grade: Grader:** "The Nature & Ambiguity of Rights" Excellent Satisfactory Mediocre Unacceptable **General Requirements** Clarity Organization Competency Academic Integrity* Content Relevance Completeness (with each Reading Question): o1: Generally speaking, what does it mean to have a right? For instance, why might it make more sense to say that a gorilla has rights than a table has rights? 02: How does Shelly Kagan characterize the differences between the following kinds of rights? A. General versus special rights, B. Negative versus positive rights, and c. Natural versus conventional rights? 03: Must rights be absolute? What four or five other properties does Kagan suggest are often also ascribed to rights? 04: How does Kagan's discussion of all these issues substantiate his claim that "talk of rights... is horrendously ambiguous" (p. 170)? Consultation (of the Text)

^{*}Depending on the severity of the circumstances, a mark of mediocre or unacceptable for academic integrity may also result in the instructor writing letters to the Assistant Dean for Student Affairs and the Coordinator of Community Standards informing them of an academic integrity violation in this course.