# FOR YOU TO DO

1. **Assuming a pass mark of 40% and a range of possible marks from 0 to 100, what marks would you give the above essays? Would you fail any of them? Why?**
2. **What comments would you make about the following areas (criteria)? Use the ‘Into the Tutor’s Mind’ assessment form below.**

* Demonstration of critical thinking skills
* Relevance and content
* Use of examples
* Support provided by citations and theory
* Grammar and spelling
* Structure
* Taking account of the audience
* Academic style

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| **Box 7.xxx Into the Tutor’s Mind: Essay Assessment Form** | | | |
| **Criterion** | **Essay 1** | **Essay 2** | **Essay 3** |
| **Demonstration of critical thinking skills** |  |  |  |
| **Relevance and content** |  |  |  |
| **Use of examples** |  |  |  |
| **Support provided by citations and theory** |  |  |  |
| **Grammar and spelling** |  |  |  |
| **Structure** |  |  |  |
| **Taking account of the audience** |  |  |  |
| **Academic style** |  |  |  |
| **Overall comment** |  |  |  |
| **Indication of mark** |  |  |  |

1. **Would it make any difference whether this was an examination essay (done under conditions where no-one was permitted to have any materials with them) or an essay done at home over a potential period of a couple of weeks? If so, why?**