

USING EVALUATIVE ADJECTIVE

- In this comprehensive analysis of X, Mike (2019) showed that.....
- In her impressive investigation into X, Kalu (2010) concluded that
- In their pioneering study of X, Mike and Kalu (2009) discovered that.....

CONSTRUCTIVE SUGGESTIONS

- These studies would have been more useful if they had included.....
- The questionnaire would have been more relevant if the researchers had asked.....
- The conclusion might have been more convincing if it had adopted.....

Critical Analysis Phrase Template

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WEAKNESS IN A STUDY

- The book failed to specify.....
- However, no attempt was made to quantify the association between X and Y
- Kalu (2010) does not ascertain whether.....

LIMITATIONS OF A METHOD

- The main weakness with this theory is that.....
- A serious weakness in this argument, however, is that.....
- Mike's analysis does not take account of X, nor does he examine.....