### 4.4 Academic Critique Feedback Form (Year 2)

**Overall Grade: Candidate:**

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| **Assessment criteria** | **Fail** | **Low Pass** | **Pass** | **Distinction** | **Comments**  |
| Introduction, including a rationale for use of the intervention, and a brief description of its implementation and any materials used. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Structure, including coherent organisation of content and appropriate use of section headings. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Critical thinking, including the identification of contrasting views/research, independent thought, and evidence of accepting and rejecting ideas. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Breadth of material, including the evaluation of research available on the intervention and a consideration of relevant psychological theory. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Relevance to professional practice, including implications for EPs and/or school/setting staff as appropriate. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Evidence of systematic search, including the identification of search terms used, databases, and any exclusion/inclusion criteria applied. Results from the SLR highlighted at start. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Standard of presentation:* Written critiques: grammar, punctuation, adherence to APA style, references[[1]](#footnote-1)
* Video critiques: style, speaker clarity, slides are easy to read and well presented.
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 **Marker’s comments:**

1. The course expects all assignments to reach a good standard of spelling, punctuation, grammar (SPAG) and APA guidelines, and failure to reach this standard as indicated on the feedback sheet for the essay and the academic critiques will result in the overall assignment of any assignment originally meriting a Distinction or a Pass grade achieving a lower grade. For example, an assessment marked as a PASS but failing the criteria set for APA and/or SPAG would be awarded a LOW PASS. If an assignment is marked overall at Low Pass, but also fails on any of standard of writing, APA or SPAG, it will not automatically be lowered to an overall fail grade, but the feedback will note the need for improvement in the failed criterion/criteria. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)