

1st Grade Six Traits Rubric

IDEAS & CONTENT

	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter
4	Writing has more than one sentence with details.	Writing sticks to one topic with at least three details. It is very organized and very clear. It is easy to read and understand.	Writing sticks to one topic. It paints a picture in the reader's mind. The reader has no questions after reading it.	Writing sticks to one topic. It paints a picture in the reader's mind. The reader has no questions after reading it. The writing may include reasoning or emotion (voice).
3	Writing has at least 1 clear sentence.	Writing sticks to one topic and has details. The message is clear.	Writing sticks to one topic, and has detail. The message is clear and has good word choice.	Writing sticks to one topic and has several details. The ideas are clear.
2	Writing includes an attempted sentence. It is not clear. The writer is able to read their sentence.	Writing does not stick to one topic. It is not real clear. The reader may need help reading the writing. The ideas may be repeated. It lacks detail.	Writing has a topic, but it isn't real clear. It lacks detail. The reader has questions after reading it.	Writing has a topic with details, but the reader has questions after reading it.
1	Writer does not attempt to write anything. OR Writer attempted to write something, but the reader cannot read it. The writer is unable to read their sentence.	Writing does not have a topic. OR The reader cannot read it.	Writing does not have a topic.	Writing has one attempted sentence. OR Writing has one sentence.

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CONVENTIONS

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2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> uses few , no, or random spaces between words between letters, words, and sentences some/most of the time <input type="checkbox"/> uses many uppercase letters in words <input type="checkbox"/> may have some reversals <input type="checkbox"/> attempts to use punctuation, but does not use it correctly <input type="checkbox"/> spells classroom sight words incorrectly <input type="checkbox"/> spells unknown words using a beginning and ending sound with no or few vowels 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> uses few , no, or random spaces between words between letters, words, and sentences some/most of the time <input type="checkbox"/> uses many uppercase letters in words <input type="checkbox"/> may have some reversals <input type="checkbox"/> attempts to use punctuation, but does not use it correctly <input type="checkbox"/> spells no-excuse words incorrectly <input type="checkbox"/> spells unknown words using a beginning and ending sound with no or few vowels 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> uses few , no, or random spaces between words between letters, words, and sentences some/most of the time <input type="checkbox"/> uses some uppercase letters in words <input type="checkbox"/> may have some reversals <input type="checkbox"/> attempts to use punctuation, but does not use it correctly <input type="checkbox"/> spells no-excuse words incorrectly <input type="checkbox"/> spells unknown words using a beginning and ending sound with no or few vowels 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> uses few , no, or random spaces between words between letters, words, and sentences some/most of the time <input type="checkbox"/> uses some upper and lowercase letters where they do not belong <input type="checkbox"/> may have some reversals <input type="checkbox"/> attempts to use punctuation, but does not use it correctly or needs more <input type="checkbox"/> no-excuse words are misspelled <input type="checkbox"/> uses good attempts to spell unknown words
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> uses incorrect, random, or no spacing between letters, words, sentences <input type="checkbox"/> uses random upper and lowercase letters, may have some reversals <input type="checkbox"/> uses no punctuation <input type="checkbox"/> makes no attempt to use word wall for spelling sight words <input type="checkbox"/> spells using random letters 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> uses incorrect, random, or no spacing between letters, words, sentences <input type="checkbox"/> uses random upper and lowercase letters, may have some reversals <input type="checkbox"/> uses no punctuation <input type="checkbox"/> spells no-excuse words incorrectly <input type="checkbox"/> spells using random letters, or spells unknown words with beginning sound only 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> uses incorrect, random, or no spacing between letters, words, sentences <input type="checkbox"/> uses random upper and lowercase letters, may have some reversals <input type="checkbox"/> uses no punctuation <input type="checkbox"/> spells no-excuse words incorrectly <input type="checkbox"/> spells using random letters, or spells unknown words with beginning sound only 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> uses incorrect, random, or no spacing between letters, words, sentences <input type="checkbox"/> uses random upper and lowercase letters, may have some reversals <input type="checkbox"/> uses no punctuation <input type="checkbox"/> spells no-excuse words incorrectly <input type="checkbox"/> spells using random letters, or spells unknown words with beginning sound only