Narrative Writing Rubric-2nd Grade

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| Content-Ask Yourself:  | 1★Not yet  | 2★ ★Approaches | 3★★★Effective | 4★★★★Distinguished |
| Did you recount a well-elaborated event or short sequence of events?  | I didn’t recount an event at all. | I somewhat recounted an event or short sequence of events.  | I recounted an event or short sequence of events.  | I recounted an event or short sequence of events in a very creative way.  |
| Did you include details to describe actions, thoughts, and feelings?  | I didn’t include details to describe actions, thoughts, and feelings at all.  | I included one detail to describe actions, thoughts, and feelings.  | I included two details to describe actions, thoughts, and feelings.  | I included three or more details to describe actions, thoughts, and feelings, in a very creative way.  |
| Did you use temporal words to signal event order?  | I didn’t use temporal words to signal event order. | I used one temporal word to signal event order.  | I used two temporal words to signal event order.  | I used three or more words to signal event order in a very creative way.  |
| Did you provide a sense of closure?  | I didn’t provide a sense of closure at all.  | I provided an unclear sense of closure.  | I provided a sense of closure.  | I provided a sense of closure in a very creative way.  |

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| Conventions-Ask Yourself: | 1★Not yet  | 2★ ★Approaches | 3★★★Effective | 4★★★★Distinguished |
| Did you capitalize all proper nouns, at the beginning of each sentence, months, days, titles, and initials of people? (L. 2.2a) | Made frequent capitalization errors.  | Made many errors capitalization errors. | Made only a few capitalization errors. | Capitalized all proper nouns, at the beginning of each sentences, months, dates, titles, and initials of people.  |
| Did you use a variety of simple and complex sentences? (L.2.1f)  | I had mostly simple or incomplete sentences.  | All of my sentences were complete, but were simple sentences.  | I had a variety of if simple and complex sentences.  | Most of my sentences were complex sentences.  |
| Did you spell most frequently used words correctly? (L.2.2d).  | I made frequent spelling errors.  | I made many spelling errors. | I made only a few spelling errors.  | I made no spelling mistakes. |