

Kindergarten Writing Rubric

4 Fluent	3 Capable	2 Developing	1 Emerging
<p>Focus and Coherence- Pictures and Words Gives interesting and detailed information about a topic.</p>	<p>Focus and Coherence- Pictures and Words Gives information about a topic.</p>	<p>Focus and Coherence- Pictures and Words Gives information about a topic, but may stray from topic.</p>	<p>Focus and Coherence- Pictures and Words Does not give information about a topic.</p>
<p>Organization Shows variety in sentence lengths and patterns.</p>	<p>Organization Consistently writes complete sentences.</p>	<p>Organization Writes sentence fragments.</p>	<p>Organization Draws pictures and/or labels them.</p>
<p>Spelling Spelling is generally correct. Spells high frequency words correctly.</p>	<p>Spelling Uses phonetic spelling consistently. Spells high frequency words correctly.</p>	<p>Spelling Uses some letter sounds to form words. Some high frequency words spelled correctly.</p>	<p>Spelling Uses random letter strings or no words at all.</p>
<p>Conventions Uses capital letters where appropriate and all other letters are lower case. Always uses punctuation at the end.</p>	<p>Conventions Uses a capital letter where appropriate. May use punctuation at the end.</p>	<p>Conventions Inconsistent use of capitalization. Inconsistent use of punctuation.</p>	<p>Conventions Does not pay attention to capitalization. Does not use end punctuation.</p>
<p>Letter Formation Forms all letters correctly. Uses proper spacing between words.</p>	<p>Letter Formation Forms many capital and lowercase letters correctly. Uses proper spacing between words.</p>	<p>Letter Formation Forms some capital and lowercase letters correctly. May use some spacing between words.</p>	<p>Letter Formation Few letters are formed correctly. No spacing between words.</p>