Writing Rubric (Personal Expressive) - Primary Literacy Assessment

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Ideas: generates ideas and details to develop and sustain the topic (idea) of the writing task showing an awareness of audience and purpose	- no evidence (blank)	- topic (main idea) does not match prompt -no awareness of task	 topic (main idea) matches the prompt few relevant supporting details are present details present but unclear and/or repetitive or like a list details are not developed little or no awareness of audience and purpose 	 topic (main idea) matches prompt supporting details are relevant details are developed some details may be irrelevant some awareness of audience and purpose 	- topic (main idea) matches the prompt - supportive details are effective, specific, and appropriate -details are strongly developed and maintained consistently - no irrelevant details - awareness of audience and purpose
Organization: organizes ideas in a form or manner that communicates information with an awareness of audience and purpose. Ideas/details are in logical order with structure and flow	- no evidence (blank)	- no introduction - very little or no sense of order is present - similar ideas are not grouped together - choppy/ no flow -ending abrupt/ no closure	- may/may not have an apparent introduction - some sense of order is present (the account may jump around a bit) or a list of random thoughts, therefore; - some rereading may be required - some details are presented with a structure and flow -little or no attempt with transitions (may be repetitive - and, and) - closure is attempted	-has an apparent introduction - the writing, overall , maintains a sense of order and logical sequence - most similar ideas are grouped together - transition words and/or phrases create flow showing how ideas connect - closure achieved (may be abrupt)	 has an effective introduction the writing maintains and sustains logical and effective order throughout order of ideas enhances and elaborates on topic thoughtful transition words and/or phrases connect grouped ideas and supporting details effective closure
Conventions: demonstrates awareness of audience and purpose by using some conventions of written language * Proportion of error to length and/or complexity of response should be considered	- no evidence (blank)	- errors obscure meaning - conventional spelling is not used - appropriate grammar, punctuation & capitalization are not used - sentence structure obscures meaning	- many errors present - meaning is affected by errors - meaning understood with rereading - spelling, grammar, punctuation & capitalization are rarely correct - sentences rarely vary in structure or length creating a simple, rigid, sometimes repetitive, mechanical text	- some conventions present - meaning is not affected by errors - familiar and commonly used words spelled correctly - some errors in complex spelling (risk taking) - grammar, punctuation & capitalization are generally correct - some errors in punctuation - some variety in sentence length and structure	- conventions consistently present -accurate spelling, grammar, punctuation & capitalization (errors basically non-existent) - simple paragraphs exist showing an awareness of the conventional form of paragraphing *** - variety in sentence length and structure creates an effective text