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| ***Categories*** | **4 Points** | **3 Points** | **2 Points** | **1 Point** |
| **Sentences** | Writes more than 3 sentences on topic | Writes 3 sentences on topic | Writes 1-2 sentences on topic | Writes or draws to convey a message |
| **Capitalization of first word** | Capitalizes the first word and the pronoun I 100% of the time | Capitalizes the first word and the pronoun I 80% of the time | Capitalizes first word inconsistently | Often does not capitalize the first word of the sentence |
| **Punctuation** | End punctuation is used correctly 100% of the time | End punctuation is used correctly 80% of the time | End punctuation is used incorrectly and inconsistently | Does not use end punctuation |
| **Spacing** | Spacing is correct 100% of the time | Spacing is correct 80% of the time | Spacing is inconsistent | No spacing |
| **Words** | Words are spelled phonetically (advanced and CVC words) | Words are spelled phonetically (CVC words only) | Writes some words phonetically | Uses letter-like forms or random letter strings |
| **Vowels** | Uses vowels correctly 100% of the time | Uses vowels correctly 75% of the time | Uses vowels correctly 50% of the time | Little or no use of vowels |
| **Sight Words** | Spells sight words correctly 100% of the time | Spells sight words correctly 75% of the time | Spells sight words correctly 50% of the time | Little or no sight words are spelled correctly |
| **Illustration** | Illustration matches text (See Picture Drawing Rubric Below) | Illustration matches text (See Picture Drawing Rubric Below) | Illustration matches text (See Picture Drawing Rubric Below) | Illustration does not match text, but draws a somewhat recognizable picture |

**\_\_\_\_\_ out of 32 Points BOY \_\_\_\_\_ out of 32 Points MOY \_\_\_\_\_ out of 32 Points EOY**

(In order to formulate a percentage, you must give each of the 8 categories an individual score of 1-4 points based on the rubric above.

Then divide the total number of points by 32 (max. points). Ex. 28 out of 32 Points = 88%

\*Aligns with the Conventions of Writing Developmental Scale from the Kid Writing Manual by Eileen Feldgus Ed.D.

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| 4   * Background is evident * Variety of colors used correctly (ex. sun is yellow) * Many details are evident * Colored neatly and appropriately | 2   * No background * No details * Beginning to use different colors * Beginning to color inside the lines |
| 3   * Background is evident * Variety of colors used correctly (ex. sun is yellow) * Some details are evident * Colored neatly and appropriately | 1   * No background * No details * Single color * Often scribbled |