

Creative Writing Assignment Evaluation Rubric

Criteria	Excellent (4)	Good (3)	Satisfactory (2)	Needs Improvement (1)
Originality & Creativity	Highly original and imaginative; unique approach and voice.	Shows creativity and some originality.	Somewhat original but relies on familiar ideas.	Lacks originality; ideas are clichéd or copied.
Structure & Organization	Clear, purposeful structure; well-organized with smooth transitions.	Clear structure; mostly organized with some transitions.	Some organization; attempts at transitions.	No clear structure; disorganized or confusing.
Language & Word Choice	Rich, precise language; varied sentence structure; highly engaging.	Good use of language; some variety in sentence structure.	Adequate language but minimal variety; occasionally repetitive.	Limited or inappropriate language; frequent errors or repetition.
Conventions (Grammar, Spelling, Punctuation)	Virtually no errors in grammar, spelling, or punctuation.	Minor errors present, do not impede understanding.	Some errors that distract from the writing.	Frequent errors that impede understanding.
Theme & Message	Theme/message is clear, compelling, and fully developed.	Theme/message is clear and mostly developed.	Theme/message present but weakly developed.	No clear theme/message present.

Teacher Comments:

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