Writing

PROFICIENCY LEVEL DESCRIPTORS

Pre-Emergent

The student may be able to print their first name. The student is able to distinguish between letters and words. The student may be able to correlate the sound-symbol relationship to generate recognizable letters. The student recognizes that spoken words are represented by written language.

Emergent

The student is able to correlate the sound-symbol relationship to generate recognizable letters and words. The student relies on environmental print in the classroom to write words, phrases and simple sentences with instructional support. The student is able to begin sentences with a capital letter and use ending punctuation.

Basic

The student at this level is able to write simple sentences using basic vocabulary, with subjects and predicates which utilize the parts of speech and simple verb tenses including subject-verb agreement with instructional support. The student is able to correctly apply capitalization, spacing and ending punctuation. Spelling is inconsistent and may interfere with meaning.

Low Intermediate

The student at this level is able to write sentences incorporating grade level vocabulary using a variety of subject and predicate structures. The student will utilize the parts of speech and simple verb tenses with subject-verb agreement, although not consistently. The writing is organized to include a beginning, middle, and end in a three to five sentence paragraph. Spelling is inconsistent but does not interfere with meaning.

High Intermediate

The student at this level is able to write sentences incorporating grade level vocabulary using a variety of subject and predicate structures. The student will utilize the parts of speech and multiple verb tenses with subject-verb agreement. The writing is organized to include a clear beginning, middle, and end in a three to five sentence paragraph. Spelling may be inconsistent but does not interfere with meaning.

	Stan	dard 1: The student w	ill express his or her th	inking and ideas in a va	riety of writing genres.	
		Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate
	The st	tudent will express his o	or her thinking and idea	s by using a variety of v	vriting genres, as demo	nstrated by:
Applications	Narrative	PE-1: drawing pictures of an event or character from a story.	E-1: writing key words and simple phrases about an event or character from a story using key words commonly used in the classroom.	B-1: writing a short text about events or characters from familiar stories with instructional support.	LI-1: writing a narrative or short story that includes a main idea, character, setting and a sequence of events with instructional support.	HI-1: writing a narrative or short story that includes a main idea, character, setting and a sequence of events.
Writing Appl	Narr	PE-2: participating in guided writing of simple chants.	E-2: participating in guided writing of simple rhymes or chants.	B-2: participating in guided writing of simple rhymes, chants or poetry.	LI-2: writing simple patterned chants, rhymes or poetry with instructional support.	HI-2: writing simple rhymes, chants and poetry.
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	Expository	PE-3: summarizing the key events or ideas of informational text by drawing pictures with instructional support.	E-3: summarizing the key events or ideas of informational text by drawing and labeling pictures with instructional support.	B-3: completing a written summary of the key events or ideas of informational text using key words and phrases with instructional support.	LI-3: completing a written summary of the key events or ideas of informational text using simple sentences with instructional support.	HI-3: completing a written summary of the key events or ideas of informational text using simple sentences.
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	The s	tudent will express his o	or her thinking and idea	s by using a variety of v	vriting genres, as demo	nstrated by:
ng Applications	Expository	PE-4: creating expository text through drawing and/or pictures based on research, observation, and/or experience with instructional support.	E-4: creating expository text through drawing and labeling pictures based on research, observation, and/or experience with instructional support.	B-4: creating expository text (e.g., labels, lists observations, and journals) using key words and phrases based on research, observation, and/or experience with instructional support.	LI-4: creating expository text (e.g., labels, lists observations, and journals) using simple sentences based on research, observation, and/or experience with instructional support.	HI-4: creating expository text (e.g., labels, lists observations, and journals) using simple sentences based on research, observation, and/or experience.
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Writing	Functional	PE-5: creating a variety of functional texts (e.g., classroom rules, letters, notes, messages, directions, etc.) using drawings with instructional support.	E-5: creating a variety of functional texts (e.g., classroom rules, letters, notes, messages, directions, etc.) using labels and drawings with instructional support.	B-5: creating a variety of functional texts (e.g., classroom rules, letters, notes, messages, directions, etc.) using key words and phrases with instructional support.	LI-5: creating a variety of functional texts (e.g., classroom rules, letters, notes, messages, directions, etc.) using complete sentences with instructional support.	HI-5: creating a variety of functional texts (e.g., classroom rules, letters, notes, messages, directions, etc.) using complete sentences.
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		Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate
	The st	tudent will express his o	or her thinking and idea	s by using a variety of w	vriting genres, as demo	nstrated by:
y Applications	Functional	PE-6: participating in the guided writing of a short friendly letter or thank-you note (e.g., heading, greeting, body, and closing, etc.) with the teacher as a scribe.	E-6: writing a short friendly letter or thank-you note by completing a template (e.g., heading, greeting, body, closing, etc.) with instructional support.	B-6: writing a short friendly letter or thank-you note that is organized and uses a proper format (e.g., heading, greeting, body, and closing, etc.) with instructional support.	LI-6: writing a friendly letter or thank-you note that is organized and uses a proper format (e.g., heading, greeting, body, closing, etc.) with instructional support.	HI-6: writing a friendly letter or thank-you note that is organized and uses a proper format (e.g., heading, greeting, body, closing, etc.)
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Writing	Literary Response	PE-7: creating a response to a literary selection using pictures that identify the characters, setting and sequence of events with instructional support.	E-7: creating a response to a literary selection using pictures and labels that identify the characters, setting and sequence of events with instructional support.	B-7: writing a response to a literary selection that identifies the characters, setting, sequence of events and main idea with instructional support.	LI-7: writing a response to a literary selection that identifies the characters, setting, and sequence of events, main idea, problem and solution with instructional support.	HI-7: writing a response to a literary selection that identifies the characters, setting, and sequence of events, main idea, problem and solution.

	Stan	Standard 1: The student will express his or her thinking and ideas in a variety of writing genres.							
ions		Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate			
Cat	The st	udent will express his o	or her thinking and idea	s by using a variety of v	vriting genres, as demo	nstrated by:			
Writing Application	Literary Response	PE-8: N/A Pre-Req: PE-7	E-8: creating a response to a literary selection using pictures with/without labels that connects text to self with instructional support.	B-8: participating in the guided writing of a short response to a literary selection that connects text to self, text to world, or text to other text with instructional support.	LI-8: writing a short response to a literary selection that connects text to self, text to world, or text to other text with instructional support.	HI-8: writing a short response to a literary selection that connects text to self, text to world, or text to other text.			

	Stan	idard 2: The student w	vill identify and apply co	onventions of standard	English in his or her cor	nmunications.
		Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate
	The s	tudent will identify and	apply conventions of st	tandard English in his o	r her written communic	ations by:
Standard English Conventions	Penmanship	PE-1: copying the upper and lower case letters of the alphabet and numerals with modeled directionality.	E-1: legibly writing the upper and lower case letters of the alphabet and numerals with modeled directionality.	B-1: legibly writing all upper and lower case letters and numerals attending to form and spatial alignment.	LI-1: legibly writing all upper and lower case letters and numerals attending to form and spatial alignment.	HI-1: legibly writing all upper and lower case letters and numerals attending to form and spatial alignment.
		PE-2: copying modeled writing left to right and top to bottom with spacing between words.	E-2: using instructional model for mechanics of writing (left to right and top to bottom with spacing between words).	B-2: using mechanics of writing to organize writing (left to right and top to bottom with spacing between words and lines).	LI-2: using mechanics of writing to organize writing.	HI-2: using mechanics of writing to organize writing.
Star	Spelling	PE-3: applying knowledge of letter-sound relationships to represent initial or final consonant sounds in a word.	E-3: applying knowledge of letter-sound relationships to spell simple words with consonants and vowels (CVC patterns) with instructional support.	B-3: using common spelling patterns (i.e., onset and rimes, word families, and CVC words) to spell words.	LI-3: using common spelling patterns (i.e., onset and rimes, word families, and CVC words) regular plurals and simple suffixes (-ing, -s/es, -ly), to spell words.	HI-3: using common spelling patterns, simple prefixes (re-, un-), suffixes and regular inflectional endings (-ed) to spell words.

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		Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate
	The s	tudent will identify and	apply conventions of st	tandard English in his o	r her written communic	ations by:
Conventions	lg	PE-4: using resources to spell words (word walls and environmental print) with instructional support.	E-4: using resources to spell words (word walls, environmental print) with instructional support.	B-4: using resources to spell words (word walls, environmental print, picture dictionaries).	LI-4: using resources to spell words (word walls, environmental print, picture dictionaries, and dictionaries).	HI-4: using resources to spell words.
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Standard English	Spelling	PE-5: copying high frequency words.	E-5: copying high frequency words.	B-5: spelling high frequency words using resources.	LI-5: spelling high frequency words.	HI-5: spelling high frequency words.
Sta	Capitalization	PE-6: correctly printing first name with a capital letter.	E-6: using a capital letter for the pronoun "I" and names.	B-6: capitalizing the pronoun "I", names, and the first word of a sentence.	LI-6: capitalizing the pronoun "I," the first word of a sentence and proper nouns (names).	HI-6: capitalizing the pronoun "I," the first word of a sentence, proper nouns (names, days, months, and titles).
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		Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate
	The s	student will identify and	apply conventions of st	andard English in his c	or her written communic	ations by:
nglish Conventions	Punctuation	PE-7: adding periods to denote the end of simple sentences with prompting.	E-7: adding periods, question marks and exclamation points to denote the end of simple sentences with prompting.	B-7: using periods, question marks and exclamation points with instructional support.	LI-7: using periods, question marks, exclamation points and commas for items in a series (e.g., eggs, milk, bread, bananas, etc.) with instructional support.	HI-7: using periods, question marks, exclamation points, commas for items in a series (e.g., eggs, milk, bread, bananas etc.), and apostrophes (possessives, contractions).
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Standard En	Grammar/Parts of Speech	PE-8: N/A	E-8: using various subjects (singular common nouns, pronouns, singular proper nouns, and possessive pronouns) in sentences in a variety of writing applications with instructional support.	B-8: using various subjects (singular/plural common nouns, singular proper nouns, pronouns, and possessive pronouns) in sentences in a variety of writing applications.	LI-8: using various subjects (common nouns, singular proper nouns, pronouns, possessive nouns and pronouns) in sentences in a variety of writing applications.	HI-8: using various subjects (common nouns, singular and plural proper nouns, pronouns, possessive nouns and pronouns) in sentences in a variety of writing applications.

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	The s	tudent will identify and	apply conventions of s	tandard English in his o	r her written communic	ations by:
sh Conventions	Grammar/Parts of Speech	PE-9: N/A	E-9: using verb tenses (i.e., simple-present and present progressive) in a variety of writing applications with instructional support.	B-9: using verb tenses (i.e., simple-present, past, future; present progressive) in a variety of writing applications with instructional support.	LI-9: using verb tenses (i.e., simple-present, past, future; present and past progressive) in a variety of writing, with instructional support.	HI-9: using verb tenses (i.e., simple-present, past, future; present and past progressive) in a variety of writing.
Standard English		PE-10: N/A	E-10: using subject-verb agreement in sentences in a variety of writing applications with instructional support.	B-10: using subject-verb agreement in sentences in a variety of writing applications with instructional support.	LI-10: using subject-verb agreement in sentences in a variety of writing applications with instructional support.	HI-10: using subject-verb agreement in sentences in a variety of writing applications with instructional support.
	Grar	PE-11: N/A	E-11: using noun phrases in sentences with instructional support.	B-11: using noun and/or prepositional phrases in sentences.	LI-11: using noun, adverbial and/or prepositional phrases in sentences.	HI-11: using noun, adverbial and/or prepositional phrases in sentences.

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S		Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate
00	The s	student will identify and	apply conventions of s	tandard English in his c	or her written communic	ations by:
Standard English Conventions	Construction	PE-12: participating in shared writing that includes declarative sentences in a variety of writing applications.	E-12: participating in shared writing that includes declarative sentences in a variety of writing applications.	B-12: using declarative sentences (S-V, S-V-C, S-V-O) in a variety of writing applications.	LI-12: using declarative sentences (S-V, S-V-C, S-V-O), positive (I am tall.) and negative (I am not tall.) sentence construction forms, in a variety of writing applications.	HI-12: using declarative sentences (S-V, S-V-C, S-V-O), positive (I am tall.) and negative (I am not tall.) sentence construction forms, in a variety of writing applications.
	Syntax/Sentence	PE-13: N/A Pre-Req: PE-12	E-13: participating in shared writing that includes interrogative sentences in a variety of writing applications.	B-13: using interrogative sentences in a variety of writing applications, with instructional support.	LI-13: using interrogative sentences in a variety of writing applications, with instructional support.	HI-13: using interrogative sentences in a variety of writing applications.

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ntions		Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate
 -tic	The s	student will identify and	apply conventions of s	tandard English in his o	or her written communic	cations by:
Standard English Conver	e Construction	PE-14: N/A Pre-Req: PE-12	E-14: participating in shared writing that includes exclamatory sentences in a variety of writing applications.	B-14: using exclamatory sentences in a variety of writing applications.	LI-14: using exclamatory sentences in a variety of writing applications.	HI-14: using exclamatory sentences in a variety of writing applications.
	Syntax/Sentence	PE-15: N/A Pre – Req: PE-12	E-15: participating in shared writing that includes imperative sentences in a variety of writing applications.	B-15: using imperative sentences in a variety of writing applications, with instructional support.	LI-15: using imperative sentences in a variety of writing applications, with instructional support.	HI-15: using imperative sentences in a variety of writing applications.

	Stan	dard 3: Students use	the steps of the writing	process as a writing pie	ece moves toward comp	letion.
		Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate
	Stude	nts use the steps of the	writing process as a w	riting piece moves towa	rd completion as demo	nstrated by:
Writing Process	Pre-Writing	PE-1: generating ideas through class discussion and drawing a picture of the ideas generated (e.g., brainstorming, webbing, and drawings, etc.) with instructional support.	E-1: generating ideas through class discussion and drawing a picture or storyboard of the ideas generated (e.g., brainstorming, webbing, and drawings, etc.) with instructional support.	B-1: generating ideas through class discussion and guided writing to record ideas (e.g., graphic organizers, etc.) with instructional support.	LI-1: generating ideas through teacher-led prewriting activities (e.g., graphic organizers, etc.) and student recording of the ideas.	HI-1: generating ideas through student-led prewriting activities (e.g., advanced graphic organizers, etc.) and student recording of the ideas.
	Pre-	PE-2: N/A	E-2: participating in a discussion of the purpose for a writing piece (e.g., sentence frames, echoing, pictures, etc.) with instructional support.	B-2: participating in a discussion of the purpose for a writing piece and who the intended audience will be.	LI-2: determining the purpose (e.g., to entertain, to inform, to communicate, etc.) and intended audience of a writing piece with instructional support.	HI-2: determining the purpose and intended audience of a writing piece.

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	Stude	nts use the steps of the	writing process as a w	riting piece moves towa	rd completion as demo	nstrated by:
ng Process	Drafting	PE-3: creating a pictorial draft of an idea or story.	E-3: creating a pictorial draft with labels (words and phrases) of an idea or story.	B-3: contributing to the writing of a draft of an idea or story based on a class/small group generated pre-writing plan with teacher/peer as scribe.	LI-3: writing a student generated draft that includes a main idea and supporting details based on a prewriting plan with instructional support.	HI-3: writing a student generated draft with a main idea and supporting details in a logical sequence.
Writing		(science, social studies)	(science, social studies)	(science, social studies)	(science, social studies)	(science, social studies)
M	Revising	PE-4: N/A Pre-Req: PE-3	E-4: N/A Pre-Req: E-3	B-4: re-reading a class/small group draft for clarity and changing or adding relevant details as needed as modeled	LI-4: re-reading a student generated draft orally for clarity and changing or adding relevant details as needed	HI-4: re-reading a student generated draft orally for clarity and changing or adding relevant details as needed.
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	Stude	nts use the steps of the	writing process as a w	riting piece moves towa	ard completion as demo	nstrated by:	
		PE-5: N/A	E-5: N/A	B-5: participating in the evaluation of a	LI-5: evaluating a student generated	HI-5: evaluating a student generated	
Process	Revising	Pre-Req: PE-3	Pre-Req: E-3	class/small group draft for the use of word choice and organization with the teacher modeling the use of a checklist or a rubric.	draft for the use of word choice and organization with the teacher modeling the use of a checklist or a rubric.	draft for the use of word choice and organization with the assistance of teacher, peer, a checklist, or a rubric.	
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Writing		PE-6: N/A	E-6: N/A	B-6: participating in the editing of	LI-6: using simple resources (e.g., word	HI-6: using simple resources (e.g., word	
Wri	Editing	Pre-Req: PE-3	Pre – Req: E-3	class/small group draft for conventions with teacher modeling the use of simple resources (e.g., word walls, primary dictionaries, conventions checklists, etc.).	walls, primary dictionaries, conventions checklists, etc.) for reviewing and correcting conventions in a student generated draft with instructional support.	walls, primary dictionaries, conventions checklists, etc.) for reviewing and correcting conventions in a student generated draft.	
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	Standard 3: Students use the steps of the writing process as a writing piece moves toward completion.								
SS		Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate			
ee	Stude	Students use the steps of the writing process as a writing piece moves toward completion as demonstrated by:							
Writing Proc	Publishing	PE-7: N/A Pre-Req: PE-3	E-7: N/A Pre-Req: E-3	B-7: finalizing a class/small group generated piece for sharing with an intended audience as modeled by the teacher.	LI-7: finalizing a student generated piece legibly and accurately for sharing with an intended audience with instructional support.	HI-7: finalizing a student generated piece legibly and accurately for sharing with an intended audience.			

	Standard 4: The stu	Standard 4: The student will integrate elements of effective writing to develop engaging and focused text.						
Elements zation, Voice, Sentence Fluency	Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate			
	The student will integr	rate elements of effective	e writing to develop en	gaging and focused tex	t as demonstrated			
	PE-1: drawing pictures that relate to one main idea.	E-1: drawing and labeling pictures that relate to one main idea.	B-1: participating in writing a class/small group generated text that expresses a main idea as modeled by the teacher.	LI-1: writing student generated text that expresses a main idea with instructional support.	HI-1: writing student generated text that expresses a main idea.			
riting E Organiza	(science, social studies)	(science, social studies)	(science, social studies)	(science, social studies)	(science, social studies)			
Writing Ideas, Word Choice, Organiz	PE-2: drawing pictures of relevant details that support the main idea.	E-2: drawing and labeling pictures of relevant details that support the main idea.	B-2: participating in writing relevant details that support the main idea in a class/small group generated text as modeled by the teacher.	LI-2: writing relevant details that support the main idea in a student generated text with instructional support.	HI-2: writing relevant details that support the main idea in a student generated text.			
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Fluency	Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate			
	The student will integ	The student will integrate elements of effective writing to develop engaging and focused text as demonstrated by:						
Vriting Elements Organization, Voice, Sentence	PE-3: organizing drawings or pictures to include a clear beginning, middle, and end with instructional support.	E-3: organizing text with a given pattern to include a clear beginning, middle, and end with instructional support.	B-3: organizing class/small group generated text to include a clear beginning, middle, and end as modeled by the teacher.	LI-3: organizing student generated text to include a clear beginning, middle, and end with instructional support.	HI-3: organizing student generated text to include a clear beginning, middle, and end.			
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Writing Ideas, Word Choice, Organiz	PE-4: N/A Pre-Req: PE-3	E-4: N/A Pre-Req: E-3	B-4: organizing a class/small group generated text using transitional words to indicate a beginning, middle, and end as modeled by the teacher.	LI-4: organizing a student generated text using transitional words to indicate a beginning, middle, and end with instructional support.	HI-4: organizing a student generated text using transitional words to indicate a beginning, middle, and end.			
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-luency	The student will integrate by:	The student will integrate elements of effective writing to develop engaging and focused text as demonstrated by:						
riting Elements Organization, Voice, Sentence Fluency	PE-5: N/A Pre-Req: PE-3	E-5: N/A Pre-Req: E-3	B-5: organizing a class/small group generated text in a selected format (e.g., friendly letter, narrative, expository text, etc.) as modeled by the teacher.	LI-5: organizing a student generated text in a selected format (e.g., friendly letter, narrative, expository text, etc.) with instructional support.	HI-5: organizing a student generated text in a selected format (e.g., friendly letter, narrative, expository text, etc.).			
Writing E	PE-6: N/A	E-6: N/A	B-6: selecting words to use in a class/small group generated text to create a picture in the reader's mind and to	LI-6: selecting words to use in a student generated text to create a picture in the reader's mind and to convey the intended	HI-6: using a variety of words in a student generated text to create a picture in the reader's mind and to convey the			
			convey the intended meaning (e.g., shades of meaning/big, large, enormous, etc.) as modeled by the teacher.	meaning (e.g., shades of meaning/big, large, enormous, etc.) with instructional support.	intended meaning (e.g., shades of meaning/big, large, enormous, etc.).			
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	Standard 4: The stu	Standard 4: The student will integrate elements of effective writing to develop engaging and focused text.						
	Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate			
	The student will integrate by:	rate elements of effectiv	ve writing to develop en	gaging and focused tex	t as demonstrated			
Writing Elements	PE-7: N/A	E-7: selecting key words to use in a class/small group generated text as modeled by the teacher.	B-7: selecting expressive or descriptive phrases/short sentences to use in a class/small group generated text as modeled by the teacher.	LI-7: selecting expressive or descriptive phrases/short sentences to use in student generated text with instructional support.	HI-7: using expressive or descriptive phrases/sentences in student generated text.			
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	PE-8: N/A	E-8: N/A Pre-Req: E-7	B-8: selecting the appropriate interjections to use in class/small group generated text as modeled by the teacher.	LI-8: selecting the appropriate interjections to use in student generated text with instructional support.	HI-8: using the appropriate interjections in student generated text.			
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	Standard 5 : The student will demonstrate research skills by using a variety of reference materials to complete a variety of writing tasks.						
	Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate		
	The student will demo		by using a variety of ref	erence materials to con	nplete a variety of		
Research	PE-1: N/A	E-1: N/A	B-1: completing question frames/templates about a topic or event in order to gather research for a report.	LI-1: formulating and writing questions about a topic or event in order to gather research for a report with instructional support.	HI-1: formulating and writing questions about a topic or event in order to gather research for a report.		
	PE-2:N/A	E-2: N/A	B-2: gathering information to answer questions for a report using given frames/ templates.	LI-2: gathering information to answer questions about a topic or event for a report, with instructional support.	HI-2: gathering information to answer questions about a topic or event for a report.		

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	Pre-Emergent	Emergent	Basic	Low Intermediate	High Intermediate		
-ch	The student will demonstrate research skills by using a variety of reference materials to complete a variety of writing tasks as evidenced by:						
Research	PE-3: recording observations by drawing pictures/ representations of objects, people or events for a class report with teacher support.	E-3: recording and labeling observations of objects, people or events for a class report (diagrams, pictures, charts) with instructional support.	B-3: listing information based on collected data about objects, people or events for a class/small group report.	LI-3: writing phrases and simple sentences in a one paragraph report based on collected data about objects, people or events with instructional support.	HI-3: writing a three paragraph report including a title and three facts based on collected data about objects, people or events.		
	(science, social studies)	(science, social studies)	(science, social studies)	(science, social studies)	(science, social studies)		