

St. Philip Neri Catholic School

Student:

Eighth Grade Report of Progress

Teacher:

School Year: 2006-2007

ASSESSMENT RUBRIC

4 CONSISTENTLY ABOVE STANDARD	3 MEETING STANDARD	2 MAKING PROGRESS TOWARD STANDARD	1 MAKING MINIMUM PROGRESS TOWARD STANDARD	X NOT EVALUATED AT THIS TIME
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LANGUAGE ARTS/WRITING

Trimester I II III	I	II	III
Effort/Participation			
WRITING			
Write compositions of minimum 5 paragraphs. Proper use of mechanics, clear purpose, main idea/supporting details/summarizing conclusion			
Use a variety of methods to support thesis statements and judgements,: facts, reasons, examples, comparisons, statistics, analogies and quotes			
Write summaries in own words, except for direct quotes, that contain main ideas of the event/article plus details			
Write autobiographies/biographical incidents that include coherent/logical presentation, elaboration of details, dialogue, characterization and explanation of events			
Improve personal style by using correct and varied sentence types, combinations			
Write legibly in manuscript and cursive; distinguishing upper/lower case letters			
LITERATURE			
*Use various forms of literature to identify genre, purpose, style, elements, literacy, devices and imagery within a work.			
*Define mood and meaning in poetry			
*Participate in oral activities			
*Employ critical thinking strategies			
*Use several reading strategies to gain and clarify meaning from text			
*Use appropriate reference materials for projects i.e. dictionaries, encyclopedias, almanacs, periodicals, charts, graphs, maps, on-line databases/sources			