

# 5th Grade Opinion Writing Rubric Name \_\_\_\_\_

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<b>Organizes information and ideas around a central topic.</b>	Exceeds Grade Level Expectations	Meets Grade level Expectations	Somewhat Meets Grade Level Expectations. Work Still Needs to be Done to Strengthen Writing.	Does Not Meet Grade Level Expectations
<b>Introduces a topic or text clearly, states an opinion.</b>	Exceeds Grade Level Expectations	Meets Grade level Expectations	Somewhat Meets Grade Level Expectations. Work Still Needs to be Done to Strengthen Writing.	Does Not Meet Grade Level Expectations
<b>Creates an organizational structure in which related ideas are logically grouped to support the writer's purpose.</b>	Exceeds Grade Level Expectations	Meets Grade level Expectations	Somewhat Meets Grade Level Expectations. Work Still Needs to be Done to Strengthen Writing.	Does Not Meet Grade Level Expectations
<b>Provides logically ordered reasons that are supported by facts and details.</b>	Exceeds Grade Level Expectations	Meets Grade level Expectations	Somewhat Meets Grade Level Expectations. Work Still Needs to be Done to Strengthen Writing.	Does Not Meet Grade Level Expectations
<b>Links opinion and reasons using words, phrases, and clauses.</b>	Exceeds Grade Level Expectations	Meets Grade level Expectations	Somewhat Meets Grade Level Expectations. Work Still Needs to be Done to Strengthen Writing.	Does Not Meet Grade Level Expectations
<b>Provides a concluding statement or section related to the opinion presented.</b>	Exceeds Grade Level Expectations	Meets Grade level Expectations	Somewhat Meets Grade Level Expectations. Work Still Needs to be Done to Strengthen Writing.	Does Not Meet Grade Level Expectations

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