

Narrative Story Grader

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Writing	Story Elements	Narrative Techniques	
Strong Writing	Excellent use of characters	Excellent use of Dialog	A+
Good variety of sentences and paragraphs	Excellent use of scenes and setting	Excellent Descriptions	A
No errors	Excellent use of conflict, rising action, and climax	Excellent Transitions	A-
Solid writing	Good use of characters	Good use of Dialog	B+
Variety of sentences and paragraphs	Good use of scenes and setting	Good Descriptions	B
Minor errors only	Good use of conflict, rising action, and climax	Good Transitions	B-
Below average writing	Fair use of characters	Fair use of Dialog	C+
Some variety of sentences and paragraphs	Fair use of scenes and setting	Fair Descriptions	C
Basic errors or multiple minor errors	Fair use of conflict, rising action, and climax	Fair Transitions	C-
Weak writing	Little or no use of characters	Poor use of Dialog	D+
Basic problems with sentences and paragraphs	Little use of scenes and setting	Poor Descriptions	D
Too many errors	Plot has no conflict, rising action, or climax	Poor Transitions	D-

Staple this grader **behind** your story.