ELA Grade 1 Module 1-Informative Writing Assessment Rubric

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| Score  Point | Description |
| 4 | * All facts relate to the topic and make an apparent point. * Three or more facts that support the topic. * Identifies the topic, logically groups information, and a provides clear conclusion * Sentence variety and word choice purposely selected to support the topic. * Evident control of end punctuation and capitalization * Correct spelling of most words |
| 3 | * All facts relate to the topic. * Two facts that support the topic. * Identifies the topic, groups information, and provides a sense of closure. * Some variation of word choice and sentence structure * Control of most end punctuation and capitalization * The invented spelling and use of high frequency words do not interfere with the meaning of the piece. |
| 2 | * Some facts relate to the topic. * At least one fact supports the topic. * Includes identification of the topic, fact(s), and may or may not have a sense of closure. * Limited word choice or sentence structure. * Limited control of end punctuation and capitalization. * Many spelling and grammar errors interfere with the meaning of the piece. |
| 1 | * Facts are not related to the topic. * Facts do not support the topic. * Does not include identification of the topic, facts or a sense of closure. * No sentence or word variety * No control of end punctuation and capitalization * Grammar and spelling errors interfere with the meaning of the piece. |