

Name _____

Journal Writing Checklist

Check off when student has mastered the skill.

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Picture has details				
Writes beginning consonant sounds				
Writes ending consonant sounds				
Writes middle sounds				
Spaces between words				
Letters on baseline				
Letters formed correctly - legible				
Capital at beginning of sentences				
Capital for I and proper nouns				
Ending punctuation				
Stays on topic - picture matches text				
Spells sight words correctly				
Spells a wide range of simple words correctly				
Writes in complete sentences				
Uses new vocabulary				
"7-up" sentences				
More than one or two sentences - adds details to writing				
Correct subject/verb agreement - verb tense				