



## Student-Friendly Scoring Guide

# Narrative Writing

*Purpose: To tell a story*

### I've Got It!

- My story has an original plot with a solid sequence of events. It has a conflict that is resolved.
- I have come up with several fresh and original characters who grow, change, and learn throughout the piece.
- My setting is rich with visual details.

### On My Way

- My story has a predictable plot and sequence of events. There is a conflict but not much of a resolution.
- My characters are generic; they don't stand out.
- My setting is pretty ho-hum. It's hard to visualize.

### Just Starting

- My developing plot lacks a conflict. The sequence of events is confusing.
- I've only included the shell of characters.
- Oops! I forgot to include a setting.