

4TH, 5TH AND 6TH GRADE WRITING MUST-DO CHECKLIST

FOCUS/INFORMATION	S	D	B
Did I answer the prompt/question?			
Does it make sense?			
Do I stay on the topic the entire time?			

SUPPORT/EVIDENCE	S	D	B
Do I use three or more reasons to support my answer?			
Does my evidence prove my point?			
Do I use specific examples from what I've learned and/or read?			

ORGANIZATION	S	D	B
Do I restate the prompt/question?			
Do I answer the question with evidence to support it?			
Do I have a conclusion that restates the prompt/question?			

LANGUAGE/VOCABULARY AND SENTENCE STRUCTURE	S	D	B
Do I have a complete sentence with a subject and predicate?			
Do I use specific vocabulary from what I've learned and/or read?			
Do I have a variety of sentence lengths and types?			

LANGUAGE/CONVENTIONS	S	D	B
Do I capitalize the beginning of every sentence and all of the proper nouns?			
Do I use punctuation at the end of every complete sentence?			
Do I spell words correctly? Did I double check my sight words and homophones?			