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| **Story Writing: A day in the life of a cell organelle** |
| Student Name:     \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |  |
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| CATEGORY | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Writing Process | Student devotes a lot of time and effort to the writing process. Works hard to make the story wonderful. | Student devotes sufficient time and effort to the writing process Works and gets the job done. | Student devotes some time and effort to the writing process but was not very thorough. Does enough to get by. | Student devotes little time and effort to the writing process. Doesn't seem to care. |
| Accuracy of Facts | All facts presented in the story are accurate. | Almost all facts presented in the story are accurate. | Most facts presented in the story are accurate (at least 70%). | There are several factual errors in the story. |
| Requirements | All of the written requirements (# of pages and vocabulary content were met. | Almost all (about 90%) the written requirements were met. | Most (about 75%) of the written requirements were met, but several were not. | Many requirements were not met. |
| Creativity | The story contains many creative details that contribute to the reader's enjoyment showing that the author has used his imagination. | The story contains a few creative details that contribute to the reader's enjoyment. The author has used his imagination. | The story contains a few creative details, but they distract from the story.  | There is little evidence of creativity in the story. The author does not seem to have used much imagination. |
| Organization | The story is very well organized. One idea follows another in a logical sequence with clear transitions. | The story is pretty well organized. One idea may seem out of place. Clear transitions are used. | The story is a little hard to follow. The transitions are sometimes not clear. | Ideas and scenes seem to be randomly arranged. |
| Science Content | Contains multiple interactions of the organelles. | Contains an interaction of organelles. | Attempts an interaction of the organelles. | Contains no interactions of the organelles. |

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