Author \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**First Grade**

**Informative/Explanatory Writing Rubric**

W.1.2

Write informative/explanatory texts in which they name a topic, supply some facts about the topic, and provide some sense of closure.

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Beginning (1) | Almost There (2) | Got it-Wow! (3) | Comments |
| **TOPIC** | I do not have a topic. | I have written about more than one topic. | I have written about one topic. |  |
| **DETAILS** | I have no facts about my topic. | I have one or more facts that are not about my topic. | I have one or more facts about my topic. |  |
| **CLOSURE** | I have no closure. | I have some closure that does not match my topic. | I have some closure that matches my topic. |  |

(Adapted from Jordan School District)