

Writing Checklist
ELL Language Proficiency Level: Intermediate
Grades 6-8

Student Name	School Year	
Indicators	Date of Mastery	Comments
Ideas		
Chooses and maintains a focus		
Organization		
Writes simple sentences		
Writes simple paragraphs using a topic sentence and details		
Uses basic transitions		
Word Choice, Voice, Sentence Fluency (Style)		
Develops own voice in writing		
Distinguishes between writing for different audiences and purposes		
Conventions		
Demonstrates use of capitals		
Demonstrates use of punctuation		
Demonstrates correct spelling		
Demonstrates knowledge of syntax		
Writing Process		
Writes rough draft independently		
Revises with assistance		
Offers feedback on others' writing		