ROAD TO FREEDOM WEBQUEST RUBRIC

Objectives	Advanced (4 points)	Mastery (3 points)	Moderate (2 points)	Basic (1 point)	Earned Points
Mood Writes a well-organized story with specific sensory details that contribute to a definite mood	Writer creates a scene that uses 4 or more specific sensory details to create a mood that allows the reader to feel the emotion of the situation.	Writer creates a scene that uses 2 to 4 specific sensory details, enabling the reader to understand the mood/emotion of the situation.	Writer creates a scene that uses 1 to 2 specific sensory details to help the reader understand the mood/emotion of the situation.	Writer attempts to use sensory details to create a scene that generates a specific mood, but the details are vague and unspecific, leaving the reader to guess at the emotion of the situation.	
Research Formulates open-ended research questions and applies steps for obtaining and evaluating information from a variety of sources	Student creates 5 or more research questions and obtains and evaluates information from all sources for usefulness.	Student creates 5 or more research questions and obtains and evaluates information from 3 to 5 sources for usefulness.	Student creates 5 research questions and obtains and evaluates the information from 1 to 2 sources for usefulness.	Student creates 5 questions for research and obtains information from 2 or more sources, but has difficulty in evaluating the information for its usefulness.	
Elements of fiction Incorporates the elements of fiction (i.e., setting, conflict, plot, characterization) in the writing of a story	Student successfully incorporates all of the required elements of fiction.	Student successfully incorporates 2 of the required elements of fiction.	Student successfully incorporates 1 of the required elements of fiction.	Student attempts to incorporate 1 or more of the required elements of fiction.	
Group work Applies understanding of agreed-upon rules for group work	Student uses all of the agreed-upon rules for working with a group. Student has no difficulty working with the group.	Student uses 1 to 2 of the agreed-upon rules for working with a group. Student has some difficulty working with the group, but overcomes these problems.	Student attempts to use agreed-upon rules for working with a group. Student has some difficulty working with the group and is unable to overcome these problems.		

Total score: _____

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