Book Review Rubric	
Proficient	<ol> <li>The student writes a book review that includes the main events of the story.</li> <li>The student organizes the book review in a way that is appropriate and makes sense. The ideas flow nicely together.</li> <li>The student writes with voice by creating a catchy beginning, making a text-to-self connection, and using active or interesting words.</li> <li>The student reads the review with fluency and expression.</li> <li>The book review has been edited and completely corrected for grammar, mechanics, and spelling.</li> </ol>
Apprentice	<ol> <li>The student writes a book review that includes some of the main events of the story.</li> <li>The student has some organization to his or her book review, but is lacking a sense of flow and transition from one idea to the next.</li> <li>The student shows some effort with voice, but most of the writing is predictable with simple sentences and few interesting words.</li> <li>The student reads with some fluency and expression.</li> <li>The book review has been proofread, but not completely corrected for grammar, mechanics, and spelling.</li> </ol>
Novice	<ol> <li>The student's book review does not cover the main events of the story. It is hard to tell what the story is about.</li> <li>The review lacks organization and structure. There is little or no flow or transition from one idea to the next. The organization does not make sense to the reader.</li> <li>The student writes with little or no voice. Most or all of the sentences are simple and the student makes predictable word choices.</li> <li>The student reads with little or no fluency and expression.</li> <li>The book review has not been edited for grammar, mechanics, and spelling.</li> </ol>

