

KINDERGARTEN WRITING PROFICIENCY REPORT FOR PARENTS

STUDENT: _____	TEACHER: _____	SCHOOL: _____	
What is Assessed?			
Drawing	<i>Explanation:</i> Kindergarten students begin their written communication through drawing pictures about a subject or an event. The expectation is that, by the end of the year, their pictures will be focused on only one subject or event per drawing and that they will be able to tell a logically sequenced story related to the drawing. The inclusion of multiple details in depicting both the setting and the characters is a major focus for this grade level.	3	End-of-Year Points Scored
Writing	<i>Explanation:</i> The goal for kindergarten students is to begin to communicate through written language in addition to drawings. "Writing" in kindergarten often begins with scribbles called linear mock writing and progresses to putting together letters to represent the sounds that the students hear in words. "Ts iz mi bk" might be written under a picture to relate the message: "This is my bike." A major focus for this grade level is the use of initial and final consonants to make words and sentences that tell about the drawing that the student has produced.	3	Points Scored
TOTALS - Grade level goal is a total score of at least 5 points.		6	