

Writing Rubric for Beaverton Middle & High Schools

Characteristics	Wow! (6-5)	On Target (4)	Partially (3)	Not Yet (1-2)
Content & Ideas	On topic Clearly supported with details & examples	On topic with some supporting details & examples	On topic with support; few examples or details	Partially on topic No support
Organization	Ideas are clearly connected	Ideas are connected	Ideas are somewhat connected	Ideas are not connected
Style & Voice	Creative use of words Varied Sentences “Read me!”	Appropriate use of words Some sentence variety	Basic use of words Little sentence variety	Limited or misuse of words Poor sentence structure
Mechanics (Grammar & Spelling)	Correct use of grammar and spelling	Few mistakes in grammar and spelling	Mistakes sometimes interfere with meaning	Mistakes interfere with meaning