Not Present	Developing	Proficient
		Shows a solid understanding of content
		Engages and orients the reader by establishing a context and introducing a narrator and/or characters
		Organizes an event sequence that unfolds naturally and logically
		Uses narrative techniques, such as dialogue, description and pacing, to develop experiences and events and/or characters
		Uses a variety of transitional words, phrases, and clauses to convey sequence and signal shifts from one time frame or setting to another
		Uses precise words and phrases, relevant descriptive details and sensory language to convey experiences and events
		Provides a conclusion that follows from the narrated experiences or events