Grade 2 Impromptu Writing (Journal/Memoir/Diary) Create and communicate (writing, speaking, representing)

Performance Standards & Writing Traits		Emerging	Developing	Proficient	Extending
Meaning	Ideas	Maryelous Minilessons for Teaching Beginning Writing, K-3	 topic is a little zoomed in a few details about topic can see a message 	 topic is zoomed in interesting details about topic a clear message 	 really focused and zoomed in juicy details that show rather than tell a unique, clear message
Style	Word Choice	Con Alamana No.	•simple, repeated word choices;	•lovely words sprinkled throughout	•rich word choices allow the reader to visualize
	Sentence Fluency	Explicit instruction will help <u>all</u> writers grow	mostly short sentencessentences have several mistakes	 some short and medium sentences long sentences have mistakes; mostly complete sentences 	•sentences of different lengths can be read smoothly •written in complete sentences
	Voice	<u>http://</u> <u>www5.sd71.bc.ca/</u> <u>literacy/writing-mini-</u> <u>lessons/grade-2/</u>	 a hint of personality and care for topic thought for the reader in parts 	•clear personality and care for topic •engages the reader	 personality and passion for topic a clear understanding of what readers like
Form	Organization beginning middle End flow	No More "I'm Done!" Fostering Independent Writers in the Primary Grades	 a basic beginning and middle; no ending slightly confusing order a few connecting words 	 a clear beginning, middle has hints of an ending ideas develop in order; some confusing parts several connecting words 	 an interesting beginning; middle makes sense; and a sudden ending ideas fit together nicely lots of different, simple connecting words
Conventions (see sentence fluency) C. Walters S.D. #71		Jennifer Jacobson	•some errors in spelling, grammar, punctuation; parts hard to follow	•a few errors in spelling, grammar and punctuation, but only in the tricky parts	•occasional errors in spelling and punctuation in the tricky parts