



Title of Paper _____ Author _____ Date _____

First Grade
Informative/Explanatory Writing Rubric

I can write a piece that has a topic, a fact about the topic, and provide some sense of closure.

	Beginning	Almost There	Got it-Wow!	Comments
Topic	I do not have a topic.	I have written about more than one topic.	I have written about one topic.	
Topic Development	I have no facts about my topic.	I have one or more facts that are not about my topic.	I have one or more facts about my topic.	
Closure	I have no closure.	I have some closure that does not match my topic.	I have some closure that matches my topic.	