



New Jersey Narrative Task and MY Access!® Rubric Alignment

N.J. Narrative Task	MY Access! Narrative
<p><u>Written Expression</u> The student response -is effectively developed with narrative elements and is consistently appropriate to the task; - is effectively organized with clear and coherent writing; -establishes and maintains an effective style.</p>	<p><u>Organization/Focus and Purpose</u> -Demonstrates a cohesive and unified structure by seamlessly connecting the events in a specific sequence, leading to a resolution or conclusion. -Uses transitional strategies that clarify relationships between elements in the narrative. -Creates well-constructed paragraphs and/or uses formatting very effectively. -Demonstrates an insightful, in-depth understanding of the task, purpose, and audience. -Expertly establishes a context and point of view. -Thoroughly engages readers by constructing a detailed narrative that focuses on one or several themes and/or central ideas. -Completes all parts of the task and may go beyond the limits of the task.</p> <p><u>Content Development/Elaboration</u> -Expertly develops real or imagined experiences. -Creates a vivid picture for readers by using a variety of narrative techniques and descriptive details.</p> <p><u>Language Use, Voice, and Style</u> -Demonstrates a very effective style and tone, precise control of language, and an exceptional awareness of audience. -Integrates vivid words and sensory and figurative language that clearly advances the purpose of the narrative. -Uses well-structured and varied sentences.</p>