

Nonfiction Retelling Scoring Form

Student's Name _____ Date _____

Book Title _____ Score _____

Rubric for Scoring Individual Story Elements	
Complete, detailed	3 points
Partial	2 points
Fragmentary (sketchy)	1 point
Inaccurate or not included	0 points

Key Elements	Prompts	0	1	2	3
Topic (understands the topic)	What is this book about?				
Main idea(s)	What are the main ideas of the book (sections)?				
Details (recalls details linked to main ideas)	Name the supporting details of each main idea.				
Organization (knows how the book is organized)	How is the information in the book organized? (e.g., chronological, classification, randomly)				
Command of Vocabulary (uses key vocabulary from story)	What are some of the key terms presented in the book?				
Accuracy (retells facts accurately)	N/A				
Level of prompting: high (1), medium (2), none (3)					

Total points

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Observer Comments:

Interpreting the Point Totals	
Level	Total Points
Skilled	15-21
Developing	8-14
Needs work	0-7