

Learning to Write 4th Grade INFORMATION REPORTS

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1. I chose an Earth Science subject, and brainstormed ideas about what I wanted to study and learn.	<p><u>I'm excellent at this.</u></p> <p>I chose a subject, and brainstormed several ideas about what I wanted to study and learn.</p>	<p><u>I'm good at this.</u></p> <p>I chose a subject, and brainstormed some ideas about what I wanted to study and learn.</p>	<p><u>I've started learning this.</u></p> <p>I somewhat chose a subject, and I somewhat brainstormed ideas about what I wanted to study and learn.</p>	<p><u>I still need to learn this.</u></p> <p>I did not choose a subject and/or I did not brainstorm ideas about what I wanted to study and learn.</p>
2. I worked responsibly on my team throughout the project.	<p><u>I'm excellent at this.</u></p> <p>I worked very responsibly on my team throughout the project.</p>	<p><u>I'm good at this.</u></p> <p>I worked responsibly on my team throughout the project.</p>	<p><u>I've started learning this.</u></p> <p>I worked somewhat responsibly on my team throughout the project.</p>	<p><u>I still need to learn this.</u></p> <p>I did not work responsibly on my team throughout the project.</p>
3. I helped to write key questions to guide my research.	<p><u>I'm excellent at this.</u></p> <p>I helped to write excellent key questions to guide my research.</p>	<p><u>I'm good at this.</u></p> <p>I helped to write good key questions to guide my research.</p>	<p><u>I've started learning this.</u></p> <p>I helped to write a few key questions to guide my research.</p>	<p><u>I still need to learn this.</u></p> <p>I did not help to write key questions to guide my research.</p>

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4. I used more than one source of information as I conducted research to answer key questions.	<p><u>I'm excellent at this.</u></p> <p>I used several sources of information as I conducted excellent research to answer key questions.</p>	<p><u>I'm good at this.</u></p> <p>I used some sources of information as I conducted good research to answer key questions.</p>	<p><u>I've started learning this.</u></p> <p>I used at least one source of information as I conducted a little research to answer key questions.</p>	<p><u>I still need to learn this.</u></p> <p>I did not use any source of information and I did not conduct research to answer key questions.</p>
5. My team's opening paragraph introduced the main ideas in our report.	<p><u>I'm excellent at this.</u></p> <p>My team's excellent opening paragraph introduced the main ideas in our report.</p>	<p><u>I'm good at this.</u></p> <p>My team's good opening paragraph introduced the main ideas in our report.</p>	<p><u>I've started learning this.</u></p> <p>My team's opening paragraph somewhat introduced the main ideas in our report.</p>	<p><u>I still need to learn this.</u></p> <p>My team's opening paragraph did not help to introduce the main ideas in our report.</p>
6. My team wrote three detail paragraphs. Each paragraph had a topic sentence and at least four detail sentences.	<p><u>I'm excellent at this.</u></p> <p>My team wrote write three excellent detail paragraphs.</p>	<p><u>I'm good at this.</u></p> <p>My team wrote write three good detail paragraphs.</p>	<p><u>I've started learning this.</u></p> <p>I helped, somewhat. My team's paragraphs were somewhat detailed.</p>	<p><u>I still need to learn this.</u></p> <p>I did not help. My team's three paragraphs were not acceptably detailed.</p>

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<p>7. My team's paragraphs have a variety of sentence structures, correct spelling, and correct language conventions.</p>	<p><u>I'm excellent at this.</u> My team's paragraphs have an excellent variety of sentence structures, correct spelling, and correct language conventions.</p>	<p><u>I'm good at this.</u> My team's paragraphs have a good variety of sentence structures, correct spelling, and correct language conventions.</p>	<p><u>I've started learning this.</u> My team's paragraphs have some variety of sentence structures, and some correct spelling and language conventions.</p>	<p><u>I still need to learn this.</u> My team's paragraphs do not have a variety of sentence structures. They do not have correct spelling or language conventions.</p>
<p>8. I followed technical guides to help make a Keynote slide show with a title page, paragraphs, and bibliography.</p>	<p><u>I'm excellent at this.</u> I followed technical guides to help make an excellent slide show with a title page, paragraphs, and bibliography.</p>	<p><u>I'm good at this</u> I followed technical guides to help make a good slide show with a title page, paragraphs, and bibliography.</p>	<p><u>I've started learning this.</u> I followed technical guides to somewhat help make a slide show with a title page, paragraphs, and bibliography.</p>	<p><u>I still need to learn this.</u> I did not follow technical guides to help make a slide show with a title page, paragraphs, and bibliography.</p>
<p>9. I gave a project presentation with my team.</p>	<p><u>I'm excellent at this.</u> I gave an excellent project presentation with my team.</p>	<p><u>I'm good at this</u> I gave a good project presentation with my team.</p>	<p><u>I've started learning this.</u> I gave a project presentation, somewhat, with my team.</p>	<p><u>I still need to learn this.</u> I did not give a project presentation with my team.</p>