**Creative Writing Story Assignment #1**

**5th Grade**

**Due 7 DEC**

You may choose a topic of your own choice or the following:

Create a growth narrative. The character is presented a quest to find an object/prize, after a serious challenge they discover they are not quite prepared for the quest, they find a mentor who trains them, they defeat the challenge (riddle, monster, obstacle), and obtain the prize while realizing that they have grown in some way.

The story must be three full pages long and include 10 vocabulary words for credit. If typed then double space the story.

Scoring as follows:

* 1. 20pts – Draft that is peer reviewed by 2 people (10pts each) for all 6 categories, they must clearly write your scores for each category, their name, and have suggestions written on the draft
	2. 10pts – Ideas (reference 6 traits handout)
	3. 10pts – Organization (reference 6 traits handout)
	4. 10pts – Voice (reference 6 traits handout)
	5. 10pts – Word Choice (reference 6 traits handout)
	6. 10pts – Sentence Fluency (reference 6 traits handout)
	7. 10pts – Conventions (reference 6 traits handout)

If you peer review and you provide no feedback or give scores that do not correspond to the quality of the piece you are reviewing then you will receive -10pts