## Tally points \& calculate grades

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## Plan for the summative.

Honor the facets of the writing unit that lead to a summative assessment.


Expect students to demonstrate what they have learned.

Introduce 3 facets of every summative assessment.

Introduce the product.

Identify what is being scored using descriptive criteria.

Identify the value of each trait being scored.

## Identify what is being scored using descriptive criteria.

Maximize rubric efficiency \& efficacy.

- Update the same rubric all year.
- Utilize one rubric for all writing units.


## Ideas are well developed can be interpreted as:

-The plot is well developed in a NARRATIVE.
-The main ideas are well developed in an INFORMATIVE.
-The claims/reasons are well developed in a PERSUASIVE/ARGUMENTATIVE.

## Ideas are organized logically can be interpreted as:

-The plot moves in a chronological order in a NARRATIVE.

- Similar facts and quotes are grouped together in an INFORMATIVE.
- Reasons are organized to maximize reader impact in a PERSUASIVE/ARGUMENTATIVE.


## Quotations add interest can be interpreted as:

- The character dialogue is interesting in a NARRATIVE.
- Expert quotes are interesting in an INFORMATIVE.
-Testimonials are powerful in a PERSUASIVE/ARGUMENTATIVE.
- Utilize one rubric for multiple grade levels.
- Consider utilizing temporary criteria and benchmark papers.

| Ideas $\quad$ Information is used from three or more sources. |
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| Conventions $\quad$ Citations are punctuated correctly. |



Use a Six-Traits rubric for efficient assessment


Tweak the Six-Traits rubric for different units.


Communicate feedback within the writing rubric


Score only the relevant traits

- Emphasize ideas, organization, and conventions.
- Delete the irrelevant traits and Save as.


MINI-LESSONS Session 3: Integrate writing into all subjects.

- Provide students a revised copy of the abbreviated rubric.



## Identify the value of each trait being scored.



