



Quickwrite Journal Checklist:

Background Knowledge		Yes	No	Comments
	Does student know about the subject?			
	Can student give examples?			
	Can student make personal connections?			
	Can student express thoughts in complete sentences?			
Grammar/Punctuation /Spelling				
	Is student using punctuation correctly? (periods, question marks, exclamation marks)			
	Is student writing complete sentences?			
	Is student writing legibly and using appropriate spacing?			
	Is student using correct letter formation when he/she writes (top to bottom)?			
	Is student capitalizing letters?			
	Is student using inventive spelling when writing and spelling most commonly used words?			
	Does student writing make sense?			
	Does student stay on topic?			
Processing Information				
	Is student learning new concepts?			
	Can student apply those new concepts to prior			

	knowledge?			
	Can student give examples of things they have learned?			
	Can student give examples from the story or other stories that they have read?			
	Can student tell how the story is like other stories?			