

## **AUTHOR'S CHECKLIST**

IDEAS	I like all my ideas, because I used things not everyone would think of. EXAMPLE: I started my story with a dream.
ORGANIZATION	I think my story ties together well because it is not out of order. EXAMPLE: I used "first," "next," "then," and "finally" to keep my story in time order.
VOICE	The story sounds like me or the character's point of view in two ways. EXAMPLE: 1.  2.
WORD CHOICE	I used my "choose your words" book or used text evidence to find lots of juicy words. EXAMPLE:
SENTENCE FLUENCY	I think my story will sound grreeaatt! when it's read aloud because I added sentences like "her voice was full of worry" and "tears swelled up in my eyes." EXAMPLE:
CONVENTIONS	I tried to do my best in punctuation by using M.I.N.T.S. But I forgot totally to indent! EXAMPLES: