

PCS-CCSS Writing Rubric Grade 1—Narrative

	NS (0)	Does Not Meet (1)	Almost Meets (2)	Meets (3)	Exceeds (4)
Narrative 1.W.3	No evidence	One sentence or statement about a topic lack details	Write a paper that narrates a single event or several loosely linked events that occur in order No details or confusing details	Write narratives in which they recount two or more appropriately sequenced events Include some details regarding what happened	Meet all expectations set forth in (3) Well elaborated details to describe actions, thoughts, and feelings
Organization & Focus 1.W.3	No evidence	Goes off topic and does not return Words are not spaced and aligned	Paper lacks focus and confuses the reader Inconsistent spacing and alignment Inconsistent left to right and return sweeps	Paper is mostly focused (can stray from topic as long as meaning is not inhibited) Provide some sense of closure Words are spaced and aligned Write left to right and return sweeps Use some temporal/transitional words to signal event order	Meet all expectations set forth in (3) Focus is clear and maintained Has a clear beginning, middle, and end Use a variety of temporal/transitional words to signal event order
Language Conventions 1.L.1 1.L.2	No evidence	Demonstrate a lack of command of grade level ¹ conventions Errors are frequent and meaning is often lost	Demonstrate a partial command of grade level ¹ appropriate use of conventions	Demonstrate an adequate command of grade level ¹ conventions	Demonstrate a lack of command of grade level ¹ conventions

¹ See CCSS Language Standards