Advocacy Letters

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	4. Distinguished	3. Proficient	2. Apprentice	1. Novice
-: Topic and length	Extensive details and relevant examples. All information was accurate and delivered effectively. Word choice made the ideas in the project clear.	Subject knowledge was evident.Included details and examples to support the point of view. Creative design or delivery. Used proper word choice and vocabulary.	Information related to the topic, but project needed more details and examples to fully support ideas. Work showed little student interpretation. Used the wrong word choice to describe the topic.	Information did not include details or examples from reliable sources. Information was not sufficient to make successful argument. Used inappropriate terminology or vocabulary.
Writing-Overview: Ideas, voice, conventions, fluency, organization, and word choice	Ideas presented in logical order. Unique and interesting details supported the main idea, and natural flow made writing easy to read. Used scholarly, topic-specific vocabulary and made no spelling, grammar, capitalization, or punctuation errors. Used personal style and feeling.	Most ideas presented in logical order. Details supported the main idea. Used scholarly vocabulary. Made less than 5 spelling, grammar, capitalization, or punctuation errors.	Some ideas presented in logical order. There were few details to support the main idea. Made 5 to 10 spelling, grammar, capitalization, or punctuation errors.	Ideas were not presented in logical order. Details did not support the main idea. Made more than 10 spelling, grammar, capitalization, or punctuation errors.
Planning-Vision: Clear concept of finished project	Vision contained many details about the project. Included enough information to paint a clear picture of the finished project. Vision included details that will help during planning or development.	Vision contained many details about the project. Included enough information to provide a general idea of the finished project.	Vision contained some details about the project. Did not include enough information to provide a general idea of the finished project.	Vision was vague. Provided little information explaining the final project.