



# The Share A Story Teacher and Parent Checklist

- \_\_\_ The beginning of the essay captures the reader's interest.
- \_\_\_ The essay focuses on a single incident.
- \_\_\_ The pacing of the narrative is well-crafted.
- \_\_\_ The author describes people, places, and times in appropriate detail.
- \_\_\_ The author uses dialogue or other techniques in re-telling the incident.
- \_\_\_ The author describes his/her thoughts about the incident.
- \_\_\_ The author tells what he or she thinks about the incident now.  
Personal significance is evident.
- \_\_\_ The ending is a well-integrated part of the whole story.
- \_\_\_ The essay is clearly organized.
- \_\_\_ Grammar and spelling conventions are in order.
- \_\_\_ Correct punctuation and capitalization is used.