

Chapters 2 and 3 - 9 point simple Rubric

2 points - **First paragraph** is an introduction paragraph. It should include:

- who this story happens to (you!) and your age at the time
- where and when the story takes place
- you may need to give a little bit of background information so that readers can understand your story better.

****if you need to explain a lot of background information, you might end up with more than one paragraph for this first part.**

3 points - **Middle paragraphs** tell all about the story in detail and should include:

- explanation and description of the problem was if there was one
- who the other people were who were involved
- dialogue between you and others to make the story come to life
- lots of great describing and explaining so that readers can get a clear mental picture of the events that happened

****This should be SEVERAL PARAGRAPHS! Be detailed!!**

2 points - **Final paragraph** is a conclusion paragraph that should include:

- how the problem got solved or ended up
- what you learned from this situation OR what you would do differently if this same thing happened again OR advice to someone if they experience something similar.

****if you need to explain a lot about how this situation ended up, you might end up with more than one paragraph in your conclusion.**

2 points - **Revise and Edit**

- you used capital letters on sentences and all proper nouns
- you used end punctuation marks on all sentences
- you did not use long, run-on sentences
- you used dialogue conversations between at least 2 people who are in your story to help enhance your story. Conversations should be at least a few back and forth things said between people.
- you used proper paragraphing of dialogue between people
- you used proper capital letters, punctuation, and quotation marks
Most of the time in your dialogue
- your spelling is mostly accurate
- you have corrected any red or blue squiggly underlined words or sections that the document has flagged