

Rubric : Diamond Summary - The Tell-Tale Heart

Student Name: _____ Hr. _____ Date: _____

CATEGORY	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Score
Sequence of Story Events	All story events are ordered and placed in order of story.-5	One story event is placed out of order in the story board.-4	More than one story event is out of order.-3	
Authors use of Suspense	All passages are quoted, cited and use one of the three techniques the author uses to develop SUSPENSE.-10	1-2 passages are not quoted or cited, but use one of the three techniques the author uses to develop SUSPENSE.-8	All passages are not cited and do not represent one of the three techniques the author uses to develop SUSPENSE.-7	
Transition Words	Story contains 4 highlighted transition words to help the reader follow the story.-5	Story contains 3 highlighted transition words to help the reader follow the story.- 4	Story contains 1-2 highlighted transition words to help the reader follow the story.-3	
Vocabulary	All four story events include a vocabulary word that is used in context and underlined.-10	3 of the four story events include a vocabulary word that is used in context and underlined.-8	1-2 of the four story events include a vocabulary word that is used in context and underlined.-7	
Spelling and Punctuation	There are no spelling or punctuation errors in the final draft. Character and place names that the author invented are spelled consistently throughout.-5	There are 2-3 spelling and punctuation errors in the final draft.-4	The final draft has more than 3 spelling and punctuation errors.-3	

Comments:

Total Points: _____ /35