**WHST.2**

ADVANCED: (4)

* All the proficient criteria plus
* I established and maintained a formal style.
* I included multi, well-developed paragraphs.

PROFICIENT: (3)

* I introduced the topic clearly and previewed what is to follow.
* I developed the topic with 3-5 relevant, well-chosen facts, definitions, concrete details, and/ or quotations.
* I used appropriate and varied transitions to create cohesion.
* I used at least 3-5 domain specific vocabulary words.
* I provided a conclusion that follows from and supports the information presented.

PROGRESSING: (2)

* 4 out of 5

NEEDS PRACTICE: (1)

* 3 or Less