## **Sequel Outline and Exposition Rubric**

Category	Criteria	Your Progress Toward Mastery		
Outline	Check for:  Exposition introduces characters, context, and setting  Rising action introduces conflict, builds tension  Conflict is meaningful and engaging  Climax follows naturally from conflict  Falling action and conclusion resolve conflict	Met Met Met Met Met	Making progress Making progress Making progress Making progress Making progress	Not yet Not yet Not yet Not yet Not yet
Content	Check for:  A first-person narrator  Narrative voice is unique and consistent  Includes multiple vivid, descriptive details  Narrator is self-reflective  Two additional characters are introduced  Engaging; makes the reader want to learn more	Met Met Met Met Met	Making progress Making progress Making progress Making progress Making progress Making progress	Not yet
Connections	Check for:      Clear connections to source text     Demonstrates creative, original thinking	Met Met	Making progress Making progress	Not yet Not yet
Language & Mechanics	Check for:  Includes transition words/phrases  Appropriate spelling, grammar, and punctuation	Met Met	Making progress Making progress	Not yet Not yet