Writing Portfolio Tracker

First Grade Homeschool

STUDENT NAME _____ SCHOOL YEAR _____

MONTHLY WRITING SAMPLE COLLECTION

Month	Date	Topic / Title	Genre	✓ Saved
August				
September				
October				
November				
December				
January				
February				
March				
April				
May				

Genre Key: N = Narrative | O = Opinion | I = Informative | P = Poetry | J = Journal

WRITING SKILLS DEVELOPMENT

Mark each skill as it develops: ○ Emerging | ◐ Developing | ● Mastered

Skill	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Writes first and last name				
Uses uppercase at start of sentence				
Uses periods and question marks				
Spells common sight words correctly				
Uses phonetic spelling for new words				
Writes complete sentences				
Uses descriptive words				
Stays on topic				
Uses connecting words (and, but, so)				

Skill	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Writes multiple sentences on a topic				

GENRE EXPERIENCE TRACKER

Narrative
Tell a story with a beginning, middle, and end

- [ ] _____
- [ ] _____
- [ ] _____

Opinion
Share what you think and give reasons why

- [ ] _____
- [ ] _____
- [ ] _____

Informative
Teach the reader about a topic with facts

- [ ] _____
- [ ] _____
- [ ] _____

YEAR-END GROWTH COMPARISON

Beginning of Year Sample

Date: _____

Attach or describe sample

End of Year Sample

Date: _____

Attach or describe sample

PARENT / EDUCATOR OBSERVATIONS

Biggest area of growth:

_____

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Areas to continue developing:

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Strategies that helped most:

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