

AIMS Writing Blueprint May 2010

Strand 2, Concepts 1-6

Grade	3		4		5		6		7		8		HS	
	% MC Items	% of Score	% MC Items	% of Score	% MC Items	% of Score	% MC Items	% of Score	% MC Items	% of Score	% MC Items	% of Score	% MC Items	% of Score
1. Ideas and Content	33%	13%	33%	13%	33%	13%	41%	16%	41%	16%	44%	18%	44%	18%
2. Organization														
3. Voice														
4. Word Choice	22%	9%	22%	9%	22%	9%	26%	10%	26%	10%	33%	13%	33%	13%
5. Sentence Fluency														
6. Conventions	44%	18%	44%	18%	44%	18%	33%	13%	33%	13%	22%	9%	22%	9%
Multiple Choice		40%		40%		40%		40%		40%		40%		40%
Extended Response		60%		60%		60%		60%		60%		60%		60%
Totals		100%		100%		100%		100%		100%		100%		100%

AIMS Writing in Grades 3, 4, and 8 has been temporarily suspended.

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