Creative Nonfiction Rubric: Food Writing

Quality of Ideas	 Choose an interesting topic Try to stick to key pieces of information or interesting details Try not to be very repetitive in your storytelling Consider what will make your story relate to your audience and include that
Organization of Your Writing	 The story is ordered in a way that makes sense/is logical The story is organized in a way that is interesting or potentially surprising (if it fits the story) The structure makes sense with the ideas.
Voice and Style	 The writer comes through the writing The style of the piece is interesting The writer varies sentence structure to add variety to the piece of writing Strong or interesting sentences draw attention to key content moments. The writer uses imagery.
Word Choice	 The words used to describe food or emotions are precise. The writer shares details
Grammar and Mechanics	Errors do not get in the way of understanding your message or interrupt the flow of your writing. (Note: If students have dyslexia or dysgraphia, students' graders are not affected by errors.)