## Grade 4, Language Arts - Writing/Language

AREA OF ASSESSMENT: Uses language and conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling (4L3)  NYSED at a glance p.6					
Rubric	Trimester 1	Trimester 2	Trimester 3		
4	Independently and consistently uses correct capitalization, comma usage, and quotation marks for dialogue, and varied endmark punctuation.	Independently and consistently drafts using correct capitalization, comma usage, and quotation marks for dialogue.	Independently and consistently drafts using correct capitalization, comma usage, and quotation marks for dialogue.		
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3	Independently produces complete sentences, recognizes, and corrects inappropriate fragments and run-ons.	Independently produces complete sentences, recognizes, and corrects inappropriate fragments and run-ons.	Independently produces complete sentences, recognizes, and corrects inappropriate fragments and run-ons.		
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2	With guidance and support, produces complete sentences, recognizes, and corrects inappropriate fragments and run-ons.	With guidance and support, produces complete sentences, recognizes, and corrects inappropriate fragments and run-ons.	With guidance and support, produces complete sentences, recognizes, and corrects inappropriate fragments and run-ons.		

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