Narrative Story Retelling Rubric

Student’s Name: _______________________________            Age: __________

Name of Story: ____________________________________________________

Date: __________________

How Story Was Read: (circle one)

   Orally                     Silently                     Read to Student

Directions: Score each story element based on the student’s retelling. Point values are included next to each element. The student will receive more points if the student directly states the answer within the retelling without being prompted.

P = Prompted Response          UP = Unprompted Response

A. Names main character  [2 points unprompted (UP); 1 point prompted (P)]:

B. Names other important characters  [2 points UP; 1 point P] :

C. Names setting  [2 points UP; 1 point P] :

D. Includes important events in the story (All = 4 points UP; Most = 3 points UP; Few = 2 points UP; 1= point P):

E. States problem [2 points UP; 1 point P] :

F. States resolution [2 points UP; 1 point P] :

G. Tells story in sequence (Yes = 3 points UP; Partially = 2 points UP; 1 point P):

H. Concludes story  [2 points UP; 1 point P] :

I. States story theme or moral [1 point P]:

Highest Score Possible: 20                   Student’s Score: __________