Story Outline Rubric

An excellent piece will meet all of the following criteria:

A. Completeness
   1. Student answers all questions in each section.
   2. Student provides sufficiently detailed responses.

B. Quality of Details
   1. Student creates realistic, interesting, compelling characters
   2. Student connects the setting to the main character’s life and conflict.
   3. Student lists the events of the story in a clear, sequential order that shows how one event leads to another.
   4. Student provides links between the main character’s actions and the effects of those actions.

C. Relation to Article
   1. Student uses details from the article to create the main character.
   2. Student integrates the events of the article with their conflict.
   3. Student bases the setting of their story outline on the setting stated or implied in the article.