Expository Passage 3.1 Rubric

	100	80	60	0
Focus &	There is one clear topic	There is one clear topic	There is one clear topic	Topic is not stated, or
Details	discussed. All sentences	discussed. Most sentences	discussed. Some sentences	sentences do not relate to
	provide information about	provide information about	provide information about	the topic, or fewer than
	that topic. At least five	that topic. Only four	that topic. Only three	three sentences describe
	sentences describe the	sentences describe the	sentences describe the	the topic.
	topic	topic.	topic.	
Organization	The information about the	The information about the	The information about is	The information is
	topic is clear and follows a	topic is clear.	only somewhat clear or	confusing.
	logical sequence.		the topic is confusing.	
Correctness	All sentences have no	The sentences have only 1-	The sentences have only 4-	Sentences have more than
	errors in grammar,	3 errors in grammar,	5 errors in grammar,	5 errors in grammar,
	spelling, or punctuation.	spelling, or punctuation.	spelling, or punctuation.	spelling, or punctuation.