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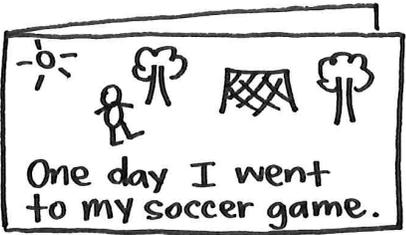
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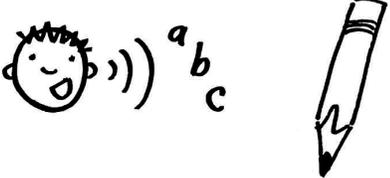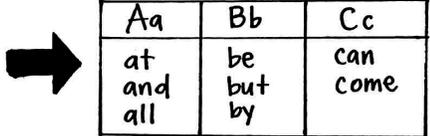| Kindergarten					
STRUCTURE					
Overall	I told, drew, and wrote a whole story.				
	Did I do it like a Kindergartener?		NOT YET	STARTING TO	YES!
Lead		I had a page that showed what happened first.	☐	☐	☐
Transitions		I put my pages in order.	☐	☐	☐
Ending		I had a page that showed what happened last in my story.	☐	☐	☐
Organization		My story had a page for the beginning, a page for the middle, and a page for the end.	☐	☐	☐
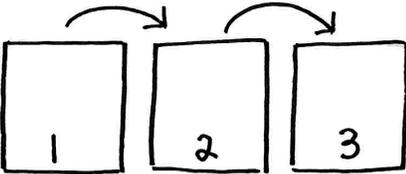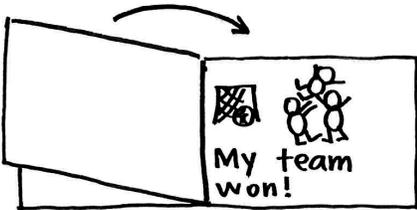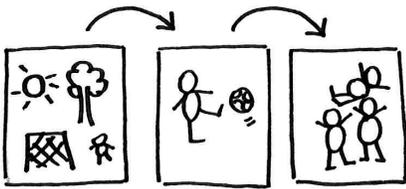
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DEVELOPMENT

	Did I do it like a Kindergartener?	NOT YET	STARTING TO	YES!
Elaboration	My story indicated who was there, what they did, and how the characters felt.	☐	☐	☐
Craft	I drew and wrote some details about what happened.	☐	☐	☐

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LANGUAGE CONVENTIONS

	Did I do it like a Kindergartener?		NOT YET	STARTING TO	YES!
Spelling		I could read my writing.	☐	☐	☐
		I wrote a letter for the sounds I heard.	☐	☐	☐
		I used the word wall to help me spell.	☐	☐	☐
Punctuation		I put spaces between words.	☐	☐	☐
		I used lowercase letters unless capitals were needed.	☐	☐	☐
		I wrote capital letters to start every sentence.	☐	☐	☐