Take A Closer Look

Writing checklist (W.2.5; W.3.5)

Use your writing to answer each question. Mark "yes" or "no." Make changes in your writing for each question that you marked "no."

Then color the box to show you edited your writing.



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	Yes	No
Is the topic clear?		
Are your ideas based on the topic?		
Do your details tell more about your topic?		
Do you have an opening?		
Does the order of the events or facts make sense?		
Do you have a closing?		
Do your words and tone (feelings or attitudes) match your purpose (reason for writing)?		
Do you use words that support the topic and your purpose?		
Did you have long and short sentences?		
Did you use your best spelling?		
Did you use capital letters?		
Did you end each sentence with a punctuation mark?		
Did you put other punctuation marks where needed?		