



Writing Difficulty Checklist Informal Diagnostic Inventory

Student Name:

Date:

	Makes many cross-outs or erasures
	Has difficulty forming shapes of letters and numbers
	Uses unusual pencil/pen grip
	Copies inaccurately
	Has difficulty starting to write or knowing what to write about
	Tires easily while writing
	Does not use punctuation accurately or consistently
	Writes incomplete or confusing sentences
	Spells poorly or inconsistently
	Has difficulty maintaining a topic
	Organizes information or ideas poorly (no main point, off topic, illogical order)
	Has difficulty elaborating on ideas
	Has difficulty with or avoids editing and proofreading
	Avoids or dislikes writing tasks

Teacher Comments