**Spelling Rubric**

13 Words

-0 or -1 = **O**utstanding

-2 = **S**atisfactory

-3 = Needs **I**mprovement

-4 or More = **U**nsatisfactory

**Writing Rubric**

Every week there will be two dictation sentences written in conjunction with the spelling test.

These dictation sentences will be worth 15 points total. Each sentence is worth 5 points which will be awarded as follows:

1 point capital letters

1 point punctuation

3 points for each spelling word spelled correctly

3 points for correct penmanship (letter formation, size, and spacing).

2 point for overall correctness

**O**utstanding -1 or 2 points

**S**atisfactory -3 or 4 points

**N**eeds **I**mprovement -5 points

**U**nsatisfactory -6 or more