## Independent Reading Effort Rubric

Rubric Score	Effort Expectation/Goal
	☐ I read the whole time.
	☐ I carefully selected just right books.
	☐ I respected the readers around me.
	☐ I knew when my reading was not making sense and I did something to fix it up.
	☐ I talked to myself in my head about the story a lot.
<b>1</b>	☐ I used my strategy whenever I got stuck on a word and I didn't give up until I
<b>T</b>	figured out a strategy that worked.
	☐ I slowed my reading down when I was reading a confusing part and reread it.
	☐ I stayed in my space the entire time.
	☐ I enjoyed my learning.
	□ I felt great about myself as a reader!
	☐ I read most of the time.
	☐ I mostly selected just right books, but I don't always know keep them in my
	basket very long.
2	☐ I respected the readers around me.
<b>)</b>	☐ I sometimes used tricky word strategies.
	☐ I sometimes went back and reread when it didn't make sense.
	☐ I sometimes caught myself thinking as I was reading.
	☐ I moved around during independent reading.
	☐I just read part of time.
	□I read too fast.
	☐I was off-task about half the time.
	☐I wasn't careful when I selected my books. I wasn't honest.
2	☐I wasn't paying attention to my thinking as I was reading.
<b>_</b>	☐I skipped over hard words and didn't try to figure them out.
	☐I distracted the readers around me.
	☐I don't always know why I'm selecting the books I am from the classroom library;
	I only have a few types of books that interest me.
	□I got up a couple times during independent reading time.
	☐I was looking around the room or staring into space instead of reading.
	☐I was pretending to read most of the time.
	☐I did not pick any just right books.
4	□I didn't understand what I was reading.
1	□I didn't think as I was reading.
-	□I got up a lot for no reason.
	□I don't know how to pick out "just right books" because I don't really know what
	books interest me.
	☐I did not respect the readers around me.
	□I wasted my learning time.