

Name _____ Date _____

Written Composition

Writing Traits

Instructions: Circle the letter next to the correct answer.

1. Which of these is not one of the six traits of writing?
 - a. Organization
 - b. Motivation
 - c. Conventions
 - d. Voice

2. Which of the following says your writing must have a beginning, middle and end?
 - a. Ideas
 - b. Conventions
 - c. Organization
 - d. Presentation

3. Which of the following are the heart of the message?
 - a. Ideas
 - b. Organization
 - c. Conventions
 - d. Voice

4. When a reader feels an emotion from your writing, you have used the _____ writing trait.
 - a. Idea
 - b. Voice
 - c. Word Choice
 - d. Sentence Fluency

5. Instead of using the word "tiny" in his sentence, Christoph used the word "minute". Which writing trait did Christoph used?
 - a. Word Choice
 - b. Conventions
 - c. Ideas
 - d. Sentence Fluency