

Searching for Style

Focus

- Does the writer exercise control?
- Is the piece overly wordy or is the language concise?

Comments: _____

Clarity

- Is the word choice specific? Precise?
- Is the language colourful? Descriptive?
- Is the word choice effective?

Comments: _____

Flow

- Do the words/sentences flow together smoothly?
- Are there transitions?
- Is there a variety of sentence structures?

Comments: _____

Originality

- Is there emotion/passion evident?
- Has the writer taken risks?
- Is there a high level of interest for the reader?
- Can you determine the writer's voice?

Comments: _____

