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Six Traits of Great Writing
(Score Sheet)

Trait	Description	Score
Ideas and Content	This paper is full of details that keep the reader's attention and show what is really important about the topic.	
Organization	This paper has an order that works well and makes the reader want to find out what comes next.	
Voice	This paper has lots of personality. It sounds different from the way anyone else writes.	
Word Choice	This paper uses just the right words for just the right places.	
Sentence Fluency	The sentences in this paper are clear and delightful to read aloud.	
Conventions	There are very few errors in this paper; it wouldn't take long to get this ready to publish.	
Presentation	The formatting of this paper is pleasing to the eye. It is free from errant marks, smudges and obvious corrections.	
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Assignment Complete	You will be awarded 65 points for completing and submitting the assignment. (Lowest possible score = 72)	65
Final Score	This is your grade for the paper.	