

4 = “Exceeding Grade Level Expectations at This Time”

What Characterizes a “4” performance?

In addition to the Score “3” performance, the student’s work demonstrates some of the following characteristics:

- Understanding of skills and concepts goes beyond what was expected
- Demonstrates a high level of sophistication on a given skill or concept.
- Consistently demonstrates a thorough in-depth knowledge of basic and extended concepts and skills
- Applies knowledge to novel situations
- Is independent in producing high quality performance
- Pursues own questions, uses own knowledge and then searches for new knowledge