Lesson Title: Roll and Build a Story (Part 4) Subject: ELA (Creative Writing) Grade: 5/6

Teacher: <u>Danica Fontaine</u> Date: <u>December 7th, 2017</u> Time: <u>10:30 am - 11:15 am</u>

Big Ideas	Content
 Language and Text can be a source of Creativity and Joy (5 & 6) Developing our understanding of how language works allows us to use it purposefully. (6) Using language in creative and playful ways helps us understand how language works (5) 	 Story/Text (5 & 6) Text features, literary elements Writing Process (5 & 6)

Curricular Competencies

- Use writing and design processes to plan, develop, and create texts for a variety of purposes and audiences
- Use language in creative and playful ways to develop style
- Transform ideas and information to create original texts

Learning Outcomes (Students will be able to):

- Review a piece of their own writing and identify words/sections that could be improved and make necessary changes.
- Utilise resources (dictionary, thesaurus) to enhance word choice in writing.
- Give positive feedback to peers and be able to identify strong writing characteristics.

Materials:

• Teacher example of poor writing

	Pacing	Lesson Outline
Part 4	15 mins	Talk about "Judge" Role *What do you call a dinosaur with a wide vocabulary?

	 A thesaurus! Share teacher example of poor writing Ask students for feedback- what could make it better? From their suggestions, make a list of things of things for students to look for in their writing as they are reviewing.
20 mins	 Students finish writing their stories (3 paragraphs- intro, body, conclusion) After first draft is done, students take the feedback they gave from the poor example and look for ways they can incorporate feedback into their own writing pieces. a. Dual quality adjectives, strong verbs, thesaurus
10 mins	In partners, have students read their own work to their partner - students stop when they hear an idea or a word that they really like and highlight it. Give students time to share one thing of their partners that they really liked.

Differentiated Instruction:

Have the students continue to co-write their stories and look for ways they can improve the word choice.

Assessment:

Not Meeting:

Student does not participate in activity.

Minimally Meeting:

Student participates in activity but makes little to no revisions to their story.

Meeting:

Student participates in activity and finds multiple ways to improve their writing in their story.

Exceeding:

Student participates in activity, finds multiple ways to improve their writing in their story and edits for grammar and spelling mistakes.