**Response, Level F1, Nana Upstairs and Nana Downstairs**

Ideas/Content:

1. Response makes direct connections to the text and writer’s personal tragic experience.
2. Events are developed with enough detail to elicit reader’s emotional response.

Structure/Organization:

1. Includes an introductory sentence that parallels the book.
2. Includes several events in order.
3. Includes an ending.

Voice/Point of View:

1. Shows emotion
2. 1st person with some narration in 3rd person

Word Choice/Description:

1. Tells story like author is talking, but has not developed the ability to expand sentences with more description.
2. Uses specific nouns such a *blood pressure* and *seizures*.

Sentence Fluency/Structure:

1. Does not use punctuation to separate sentences.
2. Attempts to use dialogue but doesn’t know how to punctuate.
3. Includes simple sentences, simple sentences with compound verbs and several compound sentences.
4. Has several sentences with a transitional word or phrases*.*