

Qualitative Dimensions of Text Complexity Chart

6th – 8th grade Band

Reviewer: _____





Name of Text: _____

Narrative/Poetry/Hybrid/Informational/other _____

Quantitative Scale(s) Used: _____

Scores: _____

In band range? _____

Category	Notes and comments on text, support for placement in this band	Where to place within the band?					
		early 6 – mid 6	end 6- early 7	Mid- end 7	Early mid 8	End 8	NOT suited to band
Structure: (both story structure or form of piece)							
Language Clarity and Conventions							
Knowledge Demands (life, content, cultural/literary)							
Levels of Meaning/ Purpose							
Overall placement:	Justification (what trumped)	