

# Playwriting Checklist

## 1. Characters:

Our play has

\_\_\_\_\_ described at least three traits of each character.

\_\_\_\_\_ used a variety of descriptive words to depict all of the characters.

## 2. Setting:

Our play has

\_\_\_\_\_ described the time and place of the play.

\_\_\_\_\_ used props or background ideas to indicate the setting and create interest (fact-finding research).

## 3. Plot:

Our play has

\_\_\_\_\_ followed a reasonable sequence of events.

\_\_\_\_\_ included at least one problem and its solution.

\_\_\_\_\_ included a surprising or unique event.

## 4. Ending:

Our play has

\_\_\_\_\_ developed the storyline to an interesting and reasonable conclusion.

\_\_\_\_\_ concluded story details so that all events make sense and are complete.

## 5. Stage directions:

Our play has

\_\_\_\_\_ included clearly understood and sensible movements of the actors.

\_\_\_\_\_ included enough action so that it is interesting to the audience.

## 6. Middle Ages:

Our play has

\_\_\_\_\_ shown that we understand what it was like to live in the Middle Ages.