



**Grade 4th 5th**  
**Personal Experience Narrative-Friend**  
**Feedback for Improvement of Writing**

This is a story about my friend Jason and me.

The experience was going on the Omega ramp at a skateboard park.

The experience concluded when I am successful on the ramp with Jason's support.

**What worked:**

- **Entertaining Beginning:** There is a sense of story with a beginning, middle, and end.
- **Extended Ending:** There is a successful ending that is clear to the reader.
- The theme of friendship is evident in the story.

Feedback with Prescriptive Feedback:

**CHOOSE** a Focus Skill: **One skill** that will make the most impact.

**Entertaining Beginnings:**

Starting Off on the Right Foot

Analyze the Beginning

Revising Story Beginnings

**Elaborative Detail:**

This student needs modeled lessons in description of setting and feelings. Elaborative detail is a critical foundational skill that builds the essential parts of the narrative story.

**General or Specific?** The awareness level for elaborative detail.

**Creating Elaborative Segments** (modeling is crucial)

**Main Event:** Student needs to elaborate the main event by answering the productive questions.

Comparing Summaries and Fully Elaborated Main Events

Main Event: Students apply the productive questioning techniques in order to fully elaborate a main event. (scripted model lesson)

My best friend Jason has taught me many things over the past five year's. He taught me how to skateboard, tech deck, and ride a pogo stick. One Saturday we went to a awesome skate park in Katy, Texas. We saw 30 awesome ramps. I was afraid to go down the most fun ramp The Omega because it was high in the sky. But Jason kept cheering me on until he finally convinced me to get on the ramp. Well I finally got on the Omega ramp! When I went down I fell a few times, but as I always say practice makes perfect. So when I went down my third try I finally made it without falling! All because of Jason's cheering it finally paid off. As soon as I got to the bottom of the ramp I did I perfect Ollie as a combo. We celebrated by going to Funplex. Now to this very day, every Saturday we go to the skatepart. That's what I like to call friendship.