Use of Community Resources (Pre-K)
Statement Builder Prompts

PROMPT	WRITER'S TIPS
Who/what are the community partners the program is currently engaged with?* *Level 4 requires that **3 or more** community partners be described; Level 5 requires that **5 or more** community partners be described	Writer's Tips and Think Abouts ~ Consider making a list of the community partners your school works with. Think about what these partnerships look like. ~ What types of activities are involved, included with identified community partners?
How are potential community partners identified?	Writer's Tips and Think Abouts ~ What resources are available to help in the identification of potential community partners? (websites, local postings, etc.) ~ Are staff members able to provide input and share ideas or potential partners for the school to explore? ~ Is there a specific staff member in charge of developing and fostering community partnerships? ~ What resources are available to you to help in the identification of potential community partners? (websites, local postings, etc) ~ What does communication and planning with community partners look like? (ie, informal or formal? Are there planning meetings? Face-to-face engagements? Other?)

How does the program partner with and utilize the local public library?	Writer's Tips and Think Abouts ~ What services that are offered by the library does the school access? ~ Are there opportunities for children to visit the local library? If so, describe what these visits include. ~ Are there specific activities offered by the library that the program participates in? ~ How are families made aware of and encouraged to participate in activities offered by the local library?
How does the school collaborate with local child care programs in the area?	Writer's Tips and Think Abouts ~ Are there opportunities for collaboration, brainstorming, information sharing, etc. with other child care programs in the area? ~ What supports are in place for children and families who may be transitioning from one child care setting to your program?