Report of Observation of Mathematics Classroom Teaching

Preservice Teacher's Name _____ Date _____

To evaluate the lesson as taught, please assign a score for each of the following items. A score of 3 is used to indicate an above average or outstanding grade, 2 indicates an average or adequate grade. 1 indicates the need for improvement. NA is to be used when there is no observed basis on which to assign a grade. Please provide a brief explanation for any score of 1 that is given.

Technical Aspects of Lesson Implementation	above average	average	needs improvement	not applicable
1. Prepared appropriately to teach the lesson	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
2. Distributed and collected instructional materials in an efficient way	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
3. Grouped students appropriately	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
4. Used instructional support materials appropriately (e.g. blackboard, overhead projector, posters, etc)	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
5. Spoke audibly using correct grammar	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
6. Used written language legibly and correctly	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
7. Established eye contact with students	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
8. Exhibited professionalism in the school setting	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)

Instructional Aspects of the Lesson Implementation	above average	average	needs improvement	not applicable
1. Incorporated a conceptually-based problem-solving focus and explained expectations clearly	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
2. Engaged students in inquiry, reasoning, or exploration activity	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
3. Challenged students through the appropriate use of questioning	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
4. Responded appropriately to students' questions	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
5. Adapted lesson in response to students' needs	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
6. Used manipulatives appropriately to support student learning	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
7. Encouraged students to explain and justify their thinking	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
8. Guided the student to consolidate learning	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
9. Assessed students' understanding as the lesson progressed	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)
10. Closed the lesson appropriately	(3)	(2)	(1)	(NA)

Please use this space to provide any additional comments regarding your observations.

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(Classroom Teacher) (Date)