Mentor Observation Tool

Selective Verbatim

The observer makes a written record of exactly what is said within a predetermined category in the classroom (e.g., teacher questions, student questions, student responses, teacher responses).

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Mentor:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Area of Instruction: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Standard:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Observation Focus: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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| * Students’ level of thinking |
| * Amount of teacher talk |
| * What is happening with a certain group of students * Types of questions the teacher asks |

| Time | Teacher | Students |
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