



ENTRY SEVEN

A focus on the Standards of: Creating & Maintaining Effective Environments and Engaging All Students



Beginning Teacher Support & Assessment

Name of Participating Teacher _____

Name of Support Provider _____

Day and time of observation _____

Key Elements of the Standards:

Creating & Maintaining Effective Environments

- organizing physical environment
- implementing procedures & routines
- maintaining standards for student behavior
- using instructional time effectively
- establishing a climate of fairness & respect
- promoting social development & responsibility

Engaging & Supporting All Students in Learning

- connecting prior knowledge, experience & interests
- using a variety of strategies & resources
- facilitating learning experiences that promote choice
- engaging students in problem solving & critical thinking
- promoting self-directed, reflective learning

Any special requests from the Participating Teacher about specifics to look for during the observation:

What are the learning goals of this lesson? What student work will be generated as evidence of their learning? _____

What student content standards are being addressed? What adopted curriculum materials are being used?

Beyond the adopted curriculum materials, what will you use (frameworks, graphics, strategies, technologies, etc.) to enhance the lesson and engage all students? _____

Creating & Maintaining Effective Environments for Student Learning

A logo consisting of a grey arrow pointing downwards and to the left, with the word "Teach" written in green inside the arrow.

Creates a **physical environment** that engages all students.

Plans & implements classroom **procedures & routines** that support student learning.

Establishes & **maintains standards** for student behavior.

Uses **instructional time effectively**.

Establishes a climate that promotes **fairness & respect**.

Promotes **social development & group responsibility**.

Engaging & Supporting All Students in Learning



Connects students' **prior knowledge**, life experiences, & interests with learning goals.

Uses a **variety of instructional strategies & resources** to respond to students' diverse needs.

Engages students in **problem solving, critical thinking, and other activities** that make subject matter meaningful.

Facilitates learning experiences that promote **autonomy, interaction, & choice**.

Promotes **self-directed, reflective learning** for all students.

Other notes in regards to engagement:
(including PT's specific requests)

Additional Observation Notes