

SAMPLE OBSERVATION FORM

WARREN WILSON COLLEGE TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAM
Student Teaching Observation Form

*This form is intended as a starting point for discussion and reflection.
Please refer to the Student Teaching Handbook for further information.*

Student Teacher:

Cooperating Teacher:

School:

College Supervisor:

Observation date and time:

Preparatory notes from the student teacher:

What will be going on in my classroom during the designated time (the subjects at hand, materials in use, particular individuals worth watching, etc.)

What I want to know about my teaching as a result of this visit, and other questions or concerns I have

Observation notes from the college observer:

On the clarity of the instructions that you give ...

On the ways you attract and direct student attention ...

On the ways you interact with individual students and groups...

On the ways you organize time and activities...

On the ways you utilize materials...

Other comments or questions to discuss...

Cooperating teachers:
Please review the completed form with your student teacher and share any concerns or ideas with the college supervisor at your earliest convenience.

This is a sample form, reduced in size. The actual form is in carbonless triplicate. Student teachers are required to have the preparatory section of a triplicate form completed PRIOR to being observed.

Being Observed: Your Turn

After each observation, you should write a response to the questions and comments raised by your college supervisor (please append additional pages as necessary).

BE SURE TO REFLECT ON THE LESSON PLANS THAT YOU MADE FOR THIS (OBSERVED) CLASS SESSION. WHAT HAPPENED AS PLANNED? WHAT MIGHT YOU DO DIFFERENTLY NEXT TIME?

Please remember to keep your observation forms up-to-date in this folder!

Observation #1

Observation #2

Observation #3

Observation #4

Observation #5