

Practicum Student Evaluation Form

Practicum Student's Name:	Abby Smith
Date:	2016-04-26
Practicum Student's Email Address:	ajsmith1@umary.edu
Teaching Major:	Early Childhood Education
Practicum:	EDU 300 - Elementary Practicum
Name of practicum teacher:	Kristin Ehrmantraut
Cooperating School:	Highland Acres Elementary
Name of person completing this evaluation:	Kristin Ehrmantraut
Evaluator's Position:	Practicum Supervisor
Evaluator's Email Address:	kristin_ehrmantraut@bismarckschools.org
Overall Rating:	Proficient
Suggestions for Improvement:	Abby has displayed professionalism by taking initiative with student engagement. She has a strong motivational system and strong questioning techniques which prompt the learners to reflect and understand the content. Abby was able to engage in quality one-on-one time with students and support a progress monitoring assessment during our literacy block. Abby helped create an organized learning environment during her small group activities.
Overall Rating:	Proficient
Suggestions for Improvement:	Abby has a strong base of knowledge for students and their skills at the primary level. We were able to collaborate on each of the mini-stations that included activities and word work. Through this exchange of information, Abby demonstrated a clear understanding of the material and followed through with positive instruction, inspiring the students. Her instructional strategies worked with diverse learners as she came to sense their independent needs and acted upon them.
Overall Rating:	Proficient
Suggestions for Improvement:	Abby has a very positive countenance with the Kindergarten students and communicated in a way that inspired the students to give it their best. Abby's lessons and activities aligned nicely with the district framework of skill sets in all content areas she was a part of including: Reading, Writing, Language Arts, Math and Social Studies. She also assisted in some progress monitoring of students needing additional help and support. Abby was kind, helpful and professional in meeting other staff members in our school. She assisted the class and other specialists during gym, library, counselor, music and library media and student assembly.
Do you believe this practicum student has the knowledge, skills, and attitude required to become an effective student teacher?	Yes

General Comments:

Abby will be an asset to any educational program she is a part of. She displays the maturity, leadership, and professionalism to be a highly contributing part of a school or team of teachers. She has effective communication skills and takes her goal and role as an educator very seriously. Abby is reflective and eager to absorb new and innovative ideas to help her advance her learning and personal growth. Her personality is positive and uplifting which plays a key role on impacting our youngest learners as they move forward with each endeavors.