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TEACHER EDUCATION**
COLORADO MESA UNIVERSITY

Teacher Candidate Field Evaluation Form

—ECSE/EDUC 300/400-level Observation and Pre-Internship

Candidate _____

Mentor Teacher _____

Semester _____ School/Grade _____

Please complete this evaluation form using the following scale:

4 = almost always 3 = most of the time 2 = somewhat or sometimes 1 = not often or not at all NA = Not applicable

The teacher candidate:

- _____ Shows readiness and takes initiative to help in the classroom in a variety of ways
- _____ Asks questions designed to help prepare him or her for teaching
- _____ Demonstrates knowledge of content/pedagogy informed by sound theory and research
- _____ Is prepared with lesson plan and materials when teaching a lesson
- _____ Presents information and interacts with students with poise, confidence and enthusiasm
- _____ Communicates instructional objectives to students
- _____ Uses positive and effective interactions with students to encourage appropriate behavior
- _____ Uses a variety of instructional strategies that effectively engage student learning
- _____ Reflects on own teaching to learn from his/her experiences and to change his/her practices
- _____ Accepts constructive criticism and guidance and is willing to modify instruction/behavior
- _____ Interacts positively with students showing interest, respect, empathy, patience and sensitivity
- _____ Shows enthusiasm and positive attitude for being in a classroom
- _____ Is punctual in arriving to the classroom
- _____ Interacts positively with other peers, faculty and adults in the classroom/school/program
- _____ Acts and presents self in a professional manner/appearance/appropriateness of dress
- _____ Communicates about course requirements in a timely manner
- _____ Uses standard English in both oral and written expression (spelling, grammar, etc.)

Number of absences _____ Reason(s) given for absence _____

Comments: *(use back of the form if more room is needed)*

Please Check: (✓ one box per row)

☐ Midterm **OR** ☐ Final

Evaluator

☐ Self **OR** ☐ Mentor Teacher

Elementary **OR** Secondary

☐ Elementary ☐ High School
☐ Pre-K ☐ Middle School

☐ 300/400-level **OR** ☐ Pre-Internship
(Observation)

Mentor Teacher/Teacher Candidate Signature

Date

Mentors: Please use this form to provide feedback on the teacher candidate working in your class this semester.

Candidates: Use this form to complete a self-evaluation and to discuss your performance with your mentor teacher.

Form Submission: Mentors and candidates **both** complete a candidate evaluation form, sign it and return it to the program coordinator or to April Chandler achandler@coloradomesa.edu; **phone: 970.248.1732; office: DH 101M.**