

Competency Framework Practice Profile for Teachers

Directions: Self-assess on key indicators of quality Assertiveness instruction while reflecting on your instructional activities over the last quarter.

A. Preparing to Provide Assertiveness Instruction				
	Educator Practices	Novice	Emerging	Proficient
A1	Teacher: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrates <u>understanding of</u> assertiveness and key concepts of competency instruction (including two essential components). 	Teacher demonstrates limited understanding of assertiveness components and other key concepts; inconsistently uses correct vocabulary.	Teacher describes assertiveness components accurately, and consistently uses correct vocabulary. Teacher explains key concepts competently, but without depth or clear examples.	Teacher demonstrates a clear understanding of assertiveness components with consistent vocabulary and creative examples and ideas. Teacher demonstrates thoughtful insight into the explanation and analysis of key concepts, including personal examples.
A2	Teacher: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creates a <u>plan</u> describing how assertiveness instruction will be provided and how students will practice with feedback. 	Teacher creates a plan to provide assertiveness instruction but does not address all learning targets.	Teacher creates a plan to provide assertiveness instruction that addresses all learning targets but does not incorporate methods to measure growth in knowledge or performance.	Teacher creates a detailed plan to provide assertiveness instruction and practice with feedback that clearly addresses all learning targets, as well as methods to observe students' knowledge and performance.
Notes/Examples:				
B. Providing Assertiveness Instruction				
	Educator Practices	Novice	Emerging	Proficient
B1	Teacher: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides instruction, addressing each learning target for the competency, to facilitate <u>students' understanding of</u> assertiveness (Instructional Criterion 1). 	Teacher incorporates assertiveness instructional activities to address a few of the learning targets.	Teacher incorporates instructional activities for most of the learning targets.	Teacher incorporates instructional activities to address each assertiveness learning target. Teacher re-teaches key concepts as needed.
B2	Teacher: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guides students to determine how assertiveness <u>applies to them personally</u> (Instructional Criterion 2). • Facilitates <u>students' reflection</u> on their strengths and challenges related to assertiveness (Instructional Criterion 3). 	Teacher prompts (but does not facilitate) students' application of assertiveness or reflection on strengths and challenges related to assertiveness components.	Teacher facilitates at least one opportunity for students' personal application of assertiveness and/or reflection on strengths and challenges related to assertiveness components.	Teacher facilitates students' ongoing, personal application of assertiveness, as well as reflection on their strengths and challenges related to both assertiveness components.
Notes/Examples:				

C. Facilitating Assertiveness Practice with Feedback				
	Educator Practices	Novice	Emerging	Proficient
C1	Teacher: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Facilitates opportunities for students to <u>practice</u> assertiveness, including each component, over time (Instructional Criterion 4). 	Teacher expresses an expectation that students demonstrate assertiveness and/or provides group practice opportunities but does not facilitate students' individual practice in authentic settings.	Teacher provides classroom practice opportunities for each student that are infrequent (less than once per quarter) and/or address some (but not all) assertiveness components.	Teacher utilizes existing classroom curricula and activities to create authentic opportunities for each student to practice assertiveness, including each component, at least once per quarter. Practice is ongoing, over multiple class sessions.
C2	Teacher: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides <u>feedback to students</u> throughout their practice of the assertiveness components (Instructional Criterion 5). 	Teacher gives general feedback that does not address specific assertiveness components and/or is not provided to each student.	Teacher gives specific feedback throughout student practice, but either does not address both assertiveness components or does not reach all students.	Teacher gives specific feedback to each student regarding each assertiveness component, throughout and after student practice.
C3	Teacher: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Facilitates students' reflection</u> on their development of assertiveness components (Instructional Criterion 6). 	Teacher facilitates reflection on assertiveness development for a limited number of students, and/or does not include both components in reflection efforts.	Teacher facilitates reflection on assertiveness development for all students, but infrequently (e.g., once per semester) and/or does not consistently address both components.	Teacher facilitates reflection on development of both assertiveness components at least quarterly for all students. Teacher guides students in identifying their personal growth in assertiveness concepts.
Notes/Examples:				
D. Using Data for Decision Making				
	Educator Practices	Novice	Emerging	Proficient
D1	Teacher: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Determines next steps in assertiveness instruction through <u>data-based decision making</u>. 	Teacher collects limited data to assess students' assertiveness development and outcomes. Teacher does not use collected data to identify specific needs for additional instruction or student supports.	Teacher collects data regularly on students' assertiveness development and outcomes but does not consistently use data to guide decisions about future needs for instruction or supports.	Teacher follows an established plan for routinely collecting and analyzing data on students' assertiveness development and outcomes (e.g., pre/post knowledge, performance-based assessments, school data points). Teacher uses the data to identify and implement additional instruction and supports for students.
D2	Teacher: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Collaborates</u> with others on a regular basis to enhance assertiveness instruction. 	Teacher works in isolation, rarely discussing assertiveness instructional ideas with others.	Teacher collaborates with colleagues occasionally but does not consistently seek or provide instructional ideas and feedback.	Teacher has well-established process for collaboration, which includes regularly requesting and sharing feedback and instructional ideas with colleagues.
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