



## SCHOOL EXPERIENCE 1 (SE1) LESSON OBSERVATION FORM

Observer:

Please underline or highlight observed practice against the Standards

TRAINEE'S NAME: OBSERVER:

SCHOOL:

LESSON/TEACHING SESSION:

CLASS/NURSERY GROUP:

DATE:

TIME OF LESSON (FROM – TO):

## **UG SE1 PGCE SE1** (highlight as appropriate)

| Lesson                             | Not Meeting the  | Beginning to Meet the   | Meeting the   | Meeting the Standards  |
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| Grading →                          | Standards  | Standards   | Standards   | with good elements   |
|                                    | A significant number of children do not achieve within the lesson.                         | Some children make some progress within the lesson.                           | Some children make progress within the lesson.  | Achievement for most children is good.  Most groups make progress within the lesson.   |
| Learning<br>Progress<br>S1, S2, S6 | Children already understand/know what they are being taught or are confused.               | Opportunities are not made to challenge children.                             | Some children are challenged within the lesson.   | Most children are appropriately challenged.  |
| Feedback<br>orally and             | Children engaged in an activity rather than learning.                                      | Where children are engaged in the lesson some learning is evident.            | Some children can explain what they are learning.   | Most are able to explain what they are learning  |
| written<br>S2, S6                  | Children describe what they are doing.   | Trainees highlight how each learning episode relates to the lesson objective. | Some children can make links between prior learning and new learning.                                 | Most children make links between prior and new learning.   |
|                                    | Feedback to children may have a negative impact on self-esteem, attitude and performance.  | Feedback to children encourages participation.                                | Feedback to children is mainly conducive to learning.   | Feedback to children is conducive to learning.   |
|                                    | Children are not clear about what they have been asked to do.                              | Children are encouraged to think about their learning.                        | Children are encouraged to participate and improve their learning. Sometimes challenged on responses. | Children are regularly challenged on their responses to learning.  |
|                                    | Children are not encouraged to think about their learning.                                 | Trainee gives feedback on correct/incorrect responses.                        | Trainee describes WHY the work of the children is correct/incorrect.                                  | Trainee engages and describes WHY the work of the children is correct/incorrect.   |
|                                    | The trainee does not have secure subject   | The trainee has secure subject knowledge in the                               | The trainee has a secure subject knowledge and  | The trainee has a well-developed subject   |
| Teaching                           | knowledge and understanding of the relevant subject/ curriculum area.                      | context of the planned lesson.  | understanding of the relevant subject/<br>curriculum area.  | knowledge and understanding of the relevant subject/ curriculum area.  |
| Subject<br>knowledge<br>and        | They fail to foster and maintain the pupils' interest in the subject.                      | They foster and maintain some pupils' interest in the subject.                | They foster and maintain the pupils' interest in the subject.   | They foster and maintain the pupils' interest at a high level in the subject.  |
| curriculum<br>knowledge<br>S3      | Trainee has an incomplete understanding of what they have to teach and how.                | Teaching is secure for the area that they are teaching.                       | Teaching is accurate and rooted in secure understanding of the curriculum and teaching.               | Teaching is rooted in good knowledge of the curriculum, how to teach it and how children learn.  |
|                                    | They are unable to respond to subject specific questions or use subject specific language. | They are able to respond to most subject specific questions.                  | They are able to respond to subject specific questions and use subject specific language.             | They respond to subject specific questions and use subject specific language to extend learning. Errors and misconceptions are dealt with. |

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| Teaching Subject knowledge           | They fail to respond to the need to up-date or extend their own subject/ pedagogical knowledge.  | They respond to the need to up-date their own subject knowledge.  | They respond to the need to up-date and extend their own subject/pedagogical knowledge.  | They respond to the need to up-date and extend their own subject/ pedagogical knowledge.   |
| and<br>curriculum<br>knowledge<br>S3 | They fail to demonstrate good standards of reading and writing and communication for all learners. They fail to build this into lessons. | They demonstrate satisfactory standards of reading, writing and communication for most learners. They sometimes build this into lessons.                  | They demonstrate good standards of reading, writing and communication for most learners. They build this into lessons.                 | They demonstrate high standards reading writing and communication for learners. They build this into lessons.                                      |
|                                      | Trainee has insufficient knowledge and understanding of the principles and practice of teaching and assessing early reading and writing. | Trainee has limited knowledge and understanding of the principles and practice of teaching and assessing early reading and writing.                       | Trainee has sufficient knowledge and understanding of the principles and practice of teaching and assessing early reading and writing. | Trainee has secure knowledge and understanding of the principles and practice of teaching and assessing early reading and writing.                 |
| Early Reading<br>S3, S4              | They are unable to use systematic and synthetic phonics effectively.   | They are able to use systematic and synthetic phonics.  | They are able to use systematic and synthetic phonics effectively.   | They are able to use systematic and synthetic phonics effectively in different age phases.   |
|                                      | Trainee fails to employ a range of teaching strategies and resources.  | Trainee employs a limited range of teaching strategies and resources.   | Trainee employs a range of teaching strategies and resources.  | Trainee is willing to try a variety of teaching strategies and resources.  |
|                                      | Individual lesson plans are inappropriately structured to support pupil learning.  | Individual lesson plans are structured to support pupil learning.   | Individual lesson plans are appropriately structured to support pupil learning.  | Individual lesson plans take into account the needs of individuals and groups through appropriate differentiation.                                 |
| Pedagogy<br>S4                       | Teaching fails to ensure the pace of learning is maintained and learners are not engaged in their learning.                              | Teaching ensures the pace of learning is maintained and learners are mainly engaged in their learning at times.   | Teaching ensures the pace of learning is maintained and learners are mainly engaged in their learning.                                 | Teaching ensures the pace of learning is maintained and learners are engaged and motivated in their learning.                                      |
|                                      | Homework does not sustain learners' progress.  | Homework used to sustain learners' progress.  | Homework used to sustain learners' progress.   | Homework ensures learning progresses.  |
|                                      | Trainee does not reflect effectively upon the lessons which they have taught.  | Trainee reviews and reflects on their teaching with support and this informs future teaching.   | Trainee reviews and reflects on their teaching and this informs future teaching.   | Trainee systematically evaluates their teaching. Trainee learns from successful/unsuccessful lessons and its impact upon learners.                 |
| Adapting<br>Teaching<br>S5           | They do not know the needs of different groups/ individuals and cannot adapt their teaching to support learning.                         | They have a satisfactory understanding of the needs of different groups/ individuals and with support begins to adapt their teaching to support learning. | They know the needs of different groups/ individuals and begin to adapt their teaching to support learning.                            | Teaching is adapted to meet the needs of individuals and groups to secure learning.  They use different strategies to reduce barriers to learning. |
|                                      | Planning is not informed by formative  | They have a limited understanding of the needs  | They have a secure understanding of  | They assess pupil attainment by using a range  |
| Planning<br>And<br>assessment        | assessment.  | of different groups/ individuals and begin to adapt their teaching to support learning for different groups.  | assessment and planning is informed by formative assessment.   | of formative assessment strategies and this effectively informs planning.  |
| S6                                   | They are unable to use assessment strategies within the lesson to evaluate teaching and learning.  | Assessment strategies are used within the lesson to evaluate teaching and learning.   | Assessment strategies are used within the lesson to evaluate teaching and learning. They are able to modifying teaching.               | Assessment used effectively and teaching adapted in light of children's responses.   |

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Children have some understanding of the next steps in their learning.

Children understand the next steps in their learning. They are able to self-assess.

Children have limited understanding of the next steps in their learning.

Children have no understanding of the next steps in their learning.

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| Behaviour,<br>Attitudes and<br>Relationships<br>S7 | They do not work within the school's framework or do not apply rules consistently.                          | They work within the school's framework and apply rules and routines fairly.  | They work within the school's framework and apply rules and routines fairly and consistently.   | They work within the school's framework and can apply rules and routines fairly and consistently.                                 |
|  | They have low expectations and have limited strategies to promote positive behaviour.                       | They aim to have high expectations and are aware of some strategies to promote positive behaviour.  | They aim to have high expectations and are aware of different strategies to promote positive behaviour.   | They have high expectations and use a range of strategies to encourage positive behaviour.  |
|  | Rewards, praise and sanctions are not used to support learning.   | They are able to use rewards, praise and sanctions.   | They are able to use rewards, praise and sanctions to support learning.   | They effectively use rewards, praise and sanctions to support learning.   |
|  | Children do not enjoy their work. Children lack motivation to produce work of a standard for their ability. | Some children have a good attitude to their work. Some children are attentive and on task. Some children aim to produce work of a high quality. | Most children have a good attitude to their work. Most children are attentive and on task. Most children aim to produce work of a high quality. | Virtually all children have a good attitude and are keen to learn. High level of interest and work produced is of a high quality. |
|  | Behaviour and attitudes to learner is inappropriate. Children are passive. Relationships are not effective. | Trainee is starting to develop appropriate relationships and the trainee is aware of the needs of some individuals.                             | Positive relationships and the trainee is aware of the needs of individuals.  | Good relationships and children cooperate to support learning and each-others welfare. Lessons flow smoothly.                     |
| A  | Not actively involved at all times. Do not make   | Adult cuppert the leaving of individuals on their   | Lessons planned so that adult support makes a   | Lossons planned so that adult support   |
| Additional<br>Adults<br>S8                         | Not actively involved at all times. Do not make positive contributions to children's learning.              | Adult support the learning of individuals on their own initiative.  | Lessons planned so that adult support makes a contribution to children's learning.  | Lessons planned so that adult support contributes to children's learning.   |

Please comment on the strengths and development against the Standards

Strengths

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Areas for Development

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| Subject specific targets including Literacy/Numeracy for Primary | General Ta                      | argets (SEN, EAL, Behaviour) |             |
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| If Joint Observation (comments and overall grade agr             | reed by both observers)         |                              |             |
| Signed   |                                 |                              |             |
| School-based Tutor □ Teacher □ Partnership Tutor □               | Moderator □ (tick or highlight) |                              |             |
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| Signed School-based Tutor □ Teacher □ Partnership Tutor □        | Moderator □ tick or highlight)  |                              |             |

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