

Secondary Education 276R - Exploration of Language Teaching
Observation Sheet for School Visits

Name _____ Date _____ School _____

Teacher _____ Subject/level _____

Issue **Notes (Be specific in describing what you saw)**

Objectives	What did the objectives of the lesson seem to be? (" <i>Students will be able to . . .</i> ")
Lesson activities	Describe the lesson activities. Notice whether there are any communicative activities that involve students in using the target language for real communication.
Use of the target language	Describe the use of the target language by the teacher and students. When is the target language used? When is English used?
Classroom management	Describe the teacher's techniques for starting and managing the class. Did any discipline problems arise during the class? If so, how were they dealt with?

Teacher's rapport with students	What did the teacher do to establish and maintain rapport with the students?
Student culture	What insights did you gain into student culture at the elementary / junior high / high school level?
The profession	What insights did you gain into being a public school teacher?
Overall comments	How successful did the lesson seem to be? What did you like/dislike about it? What, if anything, would you do differently? What other comments do you have?