# Certified Personnel Evaluation Plan 2018-2020



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#### LIVINGSTON COUNTY SCHOOLS PROFESSIONAL GROWTH & EVALUATION OF CERTIFIED PERSONNEL

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#### ASSURANCE CERTIFIED SCHOOL CERTIFIED EVALUATION PLAN

*The* Livingston County, Kentucky Board of Education *hereby assures the Commissioner of Education that:* 

This evaluation plan was developed by an evaluation committee composed of an equal number of teachers and administrators (KRS 156.557).

Name:	<b>Title</b> :
Theresa Falder	Teacher
Phyllis Johnson	Teacher
Sondra Lawton	Teacher
Janet Quertermous	Teacher
Teri Walker	Teacher/Library-Media Specialist
Rebecca Dunning	Principal
Scott Gray	Principal
Sheri Henson	Principal
Robert Love	Principal
Victor Zimmerman	Superintendent

The evaluation criteria and process used to evaluate certified school personnel shall be explained to and discussed with the evaluatee no later than the end of the evaluatee's first thirty (30) calendar days of reporting for employment each school year. (704 KAR 3:370)

All certified school personnel who have not attained continuing service status shall receive an annual summative evaluation and shall incorporate the formative data collected during the Kentucky Teacher Internship Program (if funded). (KRS 156.557)

All certified school personnel who have attained continuing service status shall receive a summative evaluation at least once every three (3) years. (KRS 156.557)

Each evaluator will be trained, tested, and approved in the use of appropriate evaluation techniques (KRS 156.557).

This plan requires a summative evaluation of certified school personnel to be documented in writing and to be included in the evaluatee's official personnel record. (704 KAR 3:370)

The local evaluation plan provides for the right to a hearing as to every appeal, an opportunity to review all documents presented to the evaluation appeals panel, and a right to presence of evaluatee's chosen representative (KRS 156.557).

The evaluation plan process will not discriminate on the basis of age, race, color, national origin, religion, sex, disability, or any other protected characteristic, as required by all applicable federal, state, and local law.

The local board of education shall review, as needed, the district's certified evaluation plan to ensure compliance with KRS 156.557 and this administrative regulation. If a source of evidence

is added or removed from the certified evaluation plan or if a decision rule or calculation is changed in the summative rating formula, the revised certified evaluation plan shall be reviewed and approved by the local board of education. If the local board of education determines the changes do not meet the requirements of KRS 156.557, the certified evaluation plan shall be returned to the certified evaluation committee for revision.

The local board of education approved the evaluation plan as recorded in the minutes of the meeting held on May 14, 2018. (704 KAR 3:370)

Signature of District Superintendent	Date
Signature of Chairperson, Board of Education	Date

#### **Certified Evaluation Contact Person**

This district employee is designated to serve as the evaluation contact person and act as a liaison between the district and the Kentucky Department of Education in matters concerning the district's evaluation process

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### Livingston County District's Summative Evaluation Appeals Panel

#### **Board Appointed Certified Employee** Chair: Alternate/Chair:

#### **Elected Certified Employees** Panel Members: Alternate Panel Members:

#### **COMMITTEE STATEMENT**

As members of the Livingston County School's Certified Evaluation 50/50 Committee, we have reviewed this document to ensure the continued success of student achievement with administrators and educators working together.

Rebecca Dunning, Principal South Livingston Elementary Robert Love, Principal Livingston County Middle School

Scott Gray, Principal Livingston Central High School Sheri Henson, Principal North Livingston Elementary School

Phyllis Johnson, Teacher North Livingston Elementary School Teri Walker, Teacher South Livingston Elementary School

Janet Quertermous, Teacher South Livingston Elementary School Theresa Falder, Teacher Livingston Central High School

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This 50/50 committee reviewed the plan for the 2018-2020 school years.

# **Livingston County Schools Certified Personnel Evaluation**

#### **<u>Certified Evaluation Plan</u>**

All certified staff will be trained on the evaluation criteria and process within 30 calendar days of reporting for employment for each school year. This shall occur prior to the implementation of the plan.

The immediate supervisor or primary evaluator is responsible for evaluating teachers.

Non-tenured teachers and non-tenured other professionals (e.g. media specialist, guidance counselor, instructional coaches, etc.) will be evaluated yearly and tenured teachers and tenured other professionals will receive a full evaluation at a minimum of once every three years.

Administrators will be evaluated annually by the superintendent or by the superintendent's designee.

The Livingston County Board of Education evaluates the performance of the Superintendent. Opportunities for the professional growth of the Superintendent will be provided pursuant to **KRS 156.111**.

For a Year-at-a-Glance timeline for Certified Evaluation Plan, see page 23.

#### **Roles and Definitions**

- 1. Artifact: A product of a certified school personnel's work that demonstrates knowledge and skills.
- 2. **Assistant Principal:** A certified school personnel who devotes a portion of employed time in the role of assistant principal, for which administrative certification is required by EPSB.
- 3. **Certified Administrator:** A certified school personnel who devotes a portion of time in a position for which administrative certification is required by EPSB or KDE.
- 4. **Certified School Personnel:** A certified employee, below the level of superintendent, who devotes time in a position in a district for which certification is required by EPSB.
- 5. **Conference**: means collaborative meeting or dialogue involving the evaluator and the evaluatee for the purposes of: providing feedback from the evaluator; analyzing the results of observations; analyzing other information to determine accomplishments and areas for growth leading to establishment or revision of a professional growth plan.
- 6. **Corrective Action Plan**: means a plan whereby an evaluatee establishes specific goals to improve an identified area concerning job performance or areas that need immediate attention.
- 7. Evaluatee: district/school personnel that is being evaluated
- 8. **Evaluation**: means the process of assessing or determining the effectiveness of the performance of the certified employee in a teaching-and-learning or leadership-and-management situation, based on predetermined criteria through periodic observation and other documentation. Evaluation shall also include the establishment and monitoring of a professional growth plan.

- 9. **Evaluator:** the immediate supervisor or primary evaluator (or designee) who has satisfactorily completed all required evaluation training. See KRS 156.557(5)(c)2.
- 10. Evidence: documents or demonstrations that indicate proof of a performance.
- 11. **Formative evaluation**: means a continuous cycle of collecting information and interacting and providing feedback with suggestions regarding the certified employee's professional growth and performance. defined by KRS 156.557(1)(a)
- 12. **Framework for Teaching (Danielson):** the document indicating the domain, components, and descriptors for which certified personnel will be evaluated.
- 13. **Full Observation:** an observation, conducted by the immediate supervisor that includes ratings in all four domains.
- 14. **Immediate Supervisor:** the person who provides, or is assigned, primary supervision or primary evaluation of personnel.
- 15. **Improvement Plan:** a plan for improvement.
- 16. Job Category: means a group or class of certified school personnel positions with closely related functions.
- 17. **Mini Observation:** an observation, conducted by the immediate supervisor or peer. Feedback may be given in any of the domains. Ratings may be provided by any supervisor or designee. Peers will not give ratings. Formal mini-observations should be at least a total of 20 minutes in duration.
- 18. **Observation**: a data collection process conducted by a certified observer, in person or through video, for evaluation or for self-reflection, including notes, professional judgments, and examination of artifacts made during one (1) or more classroom or worksite visits of any duration. Full observations will include pre and post conferencing.
- 19. **Observer Certification:** a process of training and ensuring that certified school personnel who serve as observers of evaluatees have demonstrated proficiency in rating teachers for the purposes of evaluation and feedback.
- **20. Observer:** certified school personnel who have maintained proficiency and accuracy in observing teachers for the purposes of evaluation and providing feedback.
- 21. **Other Professional**: Certified school personnel, except for teachers, administrators, assistant principals, or principals.
- 22. **Observee:** the teacher or certified professional being observed during an observation.
- 23. **Peer Observation:** Observation and documentation by trained certified school personnel below the level of principal or assistant principal, selected as described in the district's Certified Evaluation Plan, who observes and documents another teacher's professional practice and provides supportive and constructive feedback that can be used to improve professional practice.
- 24. **Performance Criteria:** the areas, skills, or outcomes on which certified school personnel are evaluated.
- 25. **Performance Rating:** the summative description of a teacher, other professional, principal, or assistant principal evaluatee's performance, including the ratings listed in administrative regulation.
- 26. **Primary Evaluator:** the person who provides, or is assigned, primary supervision or evaluation of personnel.
- 27. **Principal:** a certified school personnel who devotes the majority of employed time in the role of principal, for which administrative certification is required by the Education Professional Standards Board pursuant to 16 KAR 3:050.

- 28. **Professional Growth**: increased effectiveness resulting from experiences that develop an educator's skills, knowledge, expertise and other characteristics.
- 29. **Professional Growth Goal**: measurable goal written by certified employee using established guiding questions and meets the established criteria checklist.
- 30. **Professional Growth Plan:** an individualized plan for certified personnel that is focused on improving professional practice and leadership skills and is aligned with performance standards and the specific goals and objectives of the school improvement plan and the district improvement plan, built using a variety of sources and types of data that reflect student needs and strengths, evaluatee data, and school/district data, produced in consultation with the evaluator.
- 31. **Professional Practice:** the demonstration, in the school environment, of the evaluatee's professional knowledge and skill.
- 32. **Professional Practice Rating:** the rating that is calculated for a teacher or other professional evaluate.
- 33. **Self-Reflection:** means the process by which certified personnel assess the effectiveness and adequacy of their knowledge and performance for the purpose of identifying areas for professional learning and growth
- 34. **SMART Goal Criteria:** acronym/criteria for developing student growth goals (Specific, Measureable, Attainable, Realistic, Time-bound).
- 35. Sources of Evidence: the multiple measures listed in KRS 156.557(4) and others.
- 36. **Student Growth:** the change in student achievement for an individual student between two (2) or more points in time including achievement on state assessments.
- 37. **Student Growth Goal:** a goal focused on learning, that is specific, appropriate, realistic, and time-bound, that is developed collaboratively and agreed upon by the evaluatee and evaluator, and that uses local formative growth measures.
- 38. **Student Growth Percentile:** each student's rate of change compared to other students with a similar test score history.
- 39. Student Growth Goal Ratings: ratings assigned to student growth based on a rubric indicating high, expected, or low growth.
- 40. **Student Voice Survey:** the student perception survey provided by the department that is administered annually to a minimum of one (1) district-designated group of students per teacher evaluatee or a district designated selection of students and provides data on specific aspects of the [classroom] instructional environment [experience] and professional practice of the teacher or other professional evaluatee.
- 41. **Summative evaluation**: means the summary of, and conclusions from, all evaluative data, including, but not limited to the formal observation data. The summative evaluation occurs at the end of the evaluation cycle. Summative evaluation includes a conference or dialogue involving the evaluator and the evaluated certified employee, and a written evaluation report.
- 42. **Teacher**: a certified school personnel who has been assigned the lead responsibility for student learning in a classroom, grade level, subject, or course and holds a teaching certificate under 16 KAR 2:010 or 16 KAR 2:020.
- 43. **TELL Kentucky:** a working conditions survey of all school staff conducted every two years to provide feedback on specific aspects of the school's work environment.
- 44. Val-Ed 360°: an assessment that provides feedback of a principal's learning-centered behaviors by using input from the principal, his/her supervisor, and teachers. The survey

looks at core components (the what) that are listed on the slide, as well as key processes (the how).

45. Working Condition's Survey Goal: a school improvement goal set by a principal or assistant principal every two (2) years with the use of data from the department- approved working conditions survey.

#### Other additional Definitions and Roles may be applicable.

#### The Certified Evaluation Plan-(CEP)

The evaluation of certified personnel is an important tool that our district utilizes to help assure the public, community, parents, and students that providing a quality education is the priority of our school system. The evaluation process is used to determine the effectiveness of an employee's performance, while providing encouragement and support for continuous professional growth and improved instruction.

The vision for the Certified Evaluation Plan (CEP) is to have every student taught by an effective teacher. The goal is to create a fair and equitable system to measure teacher effectiveness and act as a catalyst for professional growth.

#### The Danielson Framework for Teaching

The Framework for Teaching is designed to support student achievement and professional practice through the domains of Planning and Preparation, Classroom Environment, Instruction, and Professional Responsibilities. The Framework has been adapted for specialists to include, Guidance Counselors, Instructional Specialists, Library Media Specialists, School Psychologists, and Speech Language Pathologists and is divided into the domains of Planning and Preparation, Environment, Instruction/Delivery of Services, and Professional Responsibilities.

The Framework also includes themes such as equity, cultural competence, high expectations, developmental appropriateness, accommodating individual needs, effective technology integration, and student assumption of responsibility. It provides structure for feedback for continuous improvement through individual goals that target student and professional growth, thus supporting overall school improvement. Evidence supporting a teacher's professional practice will be situated within one or more of the four domains of the framework. Performance will be rated for each component according to four performance levels: Ineffective, Developing, Accomplished, and Exemplary. The summative rating will be a holistic representation of performance, combining data from multiple sources of evidence across each domain.

The use of professional judgment based on multiple sources of evidence promotes a more holistic and comprehensive analysis of practice, rather than over-reliance on one individual data point or rote calculation of practice based on predetermined formulas. However, one individual data point may significantly impact the overall evaluation. Evaluators will also consider how educators respond to or apply additional supports and resources designed to promote student learning, as well as their own professional growth and development. Finally, professional judgment gives evaluators the flexibility to account for a wide variety of factors related to individual educator performance, such as: school-specific priorities that may drive practice in one domain, an educator's number of goals, experience level and/or leadership opportunities, and contextual variables that may impact the learning environment, such as unanticipated outside events or traumas.

Evaluators must use the following categories (at a minimum) of evidence in determining overall ratings:

- Professional Growth Planning and Self-Reflection
- Observation

#### **Products of Practice/Other Sources of Evidence**

Teachers and Other Professionals may provide additional evidences to support assessment of their own professional practice. These evidences should yield information related to the teacher's practice within the domains. Other sources of evidence that can be used to support educator practice may include, but not limited to:

- □ Program Review evidence
- □ team-developed curriculum units
- $\Box$  lesson plans
- □ communication logs
- □ Parent/community communications
- □ timely, targeted feedback from mini or informal observations
- $\Box$  student data records
- $\Box$  student work
- □ Student voice data
- □ student formative and/or summative course evaluations/feedback
- $\Box$  minutes from PLCs
- □ teacher reflections and/or self-reflections
- $\Box$  teacher interviews
- $\Box$  teacher committee or team contributions
- □ parent engagement surveys
- $\hfill\square$  records of student and/or teacher attendance
- $\Box$  video lessons
- □ engagement in professional organizations
- $\Box$  action research
- $\Box$  walkthrough data

All components and sources of evidence supporting an educator's professional practice will be completed and documented to inform the Overall Performance Category.

All Summative Ratings will be recorded in the approved platform.

#### Self-Reflection and Professional Growth Planning

Reflective practices and professional growth planning are iterative processes.

The teacher and other professional shall:

(1) reflect on his/her current growth needs based on sources of data and identify an area of focus;(2) collaborate with his or her administrator to develop a professional growth plan and action steps;

(3) implement the plan;

(4) regularly reflect on the progress and impact of the plan on his or her professional practice;

- (5) modify the plan as appropriate;
- (6) continue implementation and ongoing reflection;

(7) conduct a summative reflection on the degree of goal attainment and the implications for next steps.

The Professional Growth Plan will address realistic, focused, and measurable professional goals. The plan will connect data from multiple sources including classroom observation feedback, data on student

growth and achievement, and professional growth needs identified through self-assessment and reflection. In collaboration with the administrators, teachers/professionals will identify explicit goals which will drive the focus of professional growth activities, support, and on-going reflection. All teachers and other professionals will participate in self-reflection and professional growth planning annually, and they will document their self-reflection and professional growth planning in the department-approved platform or data form. (See Table 1.)

Table	1:
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Self-Reflection & Professional Growth Plan (PGP)				
Activity	Timeline	Staff Responsible		
<ul> <li>Professional Growth Plan (PGP)</li> <li>Develop, Revise and/or Review PGP</li> <li>Submit in department-approved technology platform or on district approved data form for review &amp; approval with revisions as needed.</li> </ul>	Teachers hired during the school year within 30 days of their start/hire date.	Teacher & Immediate Supervisor as Collaborative Partners		
<ul> <li>Self-Reflection</li> <li>On-going Reflection Shall Occur (i.e. following observations, student voice survey, assessment results, etc.)</li> <li>Supporting Documentation/Artifacts may be compiled and collected as needed.</li> </ul>	By October 15 Annually	Teacher/Other Professional & Immediate Supervisor as Collaborative Partners		
PGP/Self-reflection Mid-Year Review	By January 31 Annually	Teacher & Immediate Supervisor		
<ul> <li>Professional Growth Plan (PGP)</li> <li>Develop, Revise and/or Review PGP</li> <li>Submit in department-approved technology platform or on district approved data form for review &amp; approval with revisions as needed.</li> </ul>	By May 15 Annually	Teacher & Immediate Supervisor as Collaborative Partners		

#### Observation

The observation process is one source of evidence to determine teacher effectiveness that includes the supervisor and may include peer observation(s) for each certified employee. Both supervisor and peer (if utilized) observations will use the same instruments. The supervisor observation will provide *documentation and feedback* to measure the effectiveness of a teacher's professional practice. The peer observation (if utilized) will not be used to inform a summative rating. Peer observation will only be used for formative feedback on teaching practice in a

collegial atmosphere of trust and common purpose. The peer observer will not provide ratings. The rationale for each observation is to encourage continued professional learning through critical reflection. For some categories of Other Professionals, observations may be adapted to meet the needs of their duties.

There will be a minimum of four (4) observations in the summative cycle, including at least three observations (two mini and one full) conducted by the immediate supervisor, and one observation conducted by a peer (if peer is used). If the peer observer is not utilized, then the primary evaluator, or other trained evaluator, will conduct the fourth mini-observation. Unannounced observations and/or walkthrough observations may be completed as determined by the evaluator and/or Superintendent/designee. Non-Tenured Teachers/Other Professionals and Teachers/Other Professionals on a Corrective Action Plan will be on a one year summative cycle. Tenured Teachers/Other Professionals will be on a three year summative cycle. (See Tables 2 and 3 for One Year and Three Year Summative Cycles).

One (1) Year Summative Cycle				
Observer/Evaluator	Observation Type	Observation Time	Documentation	Suggested Timelines
Immediate Supervisor	Mini	Minimum 20 Minutes	Department-approved technology platform or district approved data form & Pre/Post Observation Forms (See	Annually First Semester By December 20
Peer (if utilized)	Mini	Minimum 20 Minutes	Appendix) Department-approved technology platform or district approved data form & Pre-Observation Form (See Appendix)	Annually First Semester By December 20
Immediate Supervisor	Mini	Minimum 20 Minutes	Department-approved technology platform or district approved data form & Pre/Post Observation Forms (See Appendix)	Annually By February 28
Immediate Supervisor/Designee (in place of Peer)	Mini	Minimum 20 Minutes	Department-approved technology platform or district approved data form & Pre/Post Observation Forms (See Appendix)	Annually By April 15 (in lieu of Peer observation)
Immediate Supervisor	Formal/ Full	Full Class/Lesson	Department-approved technology platform or district approved data form Pre/Post Observation and Summative Forms (See Appendix) *Provide teacher/ Central Office summative copies	Annually By April 15 The final observation shall be the full observation. (Walkthroughs may still occur)
	Teachers and Other Professionals who are hired after Nov. 1 will receive only 2 minis and 1 full observation by their immediate supervisor. Teachers and Other Professionals who are hired after Mar. 1 will receive only 1 full observation by their immediate supervisor.			
	KTIP Teachers will follow both the prescribed KTIP and CEP process. A summative evaluation will be completed in Department-approved technology platform or district approved data form.			
The summative evaluation conference shall occur after all observations have been completed and all sources of evidence have been considered, including professional growth planning/self-reflection, student voice surveys, and other evidence deemed relevant for determining the overall effectiveness rating for the teacher.				
All personnel evaluated will be provided an opportunity for review of their summative evaluations. All written evaluations shall be discussed and/or communicated with the evaluatee, and he/she will be given the opportunity to attach a written statement to the summative evaluation form.				

Table 2:

Table 3:

Table 5: Three (3) Year Summative Cycle				
Observer/Evaluator	Observation Type	Observation Time	Documentation	Cycle Year(s)/ Timelines
Immediate Supervisor	Mini	Minimum 20 Minutes	Department-approved technology platform or district approved data form & Pre/Post Observation Forms (See Appendix)	Year 1 By May 1 (Suggested)
Immediate Supervisor	Mini	Minimum 20 Minutes	Department-approved technology platform or district approved data form & Pre/Post Observation Forms (See Appendix)	Year 2 By May 1 (Suggested)
Peer (if utilized)	Mini	Minimum 20 Minutes	Department-approved technology platform or district approved data form & Pre Observation-Form (See Appendix)	Year 3 December 20
Immediate Supervisor/Designee (in place of Peer)	Mini	Minimum 20 Minutes	Department-approved technology platform or district approved data form & Pre/Post Observation Forms (See Appendix)	Year 3 By April 15 (in lieu of Peer observation)
Immediate Supervisor	Formal/ Full	Full Class/Lesson	Department-approved technology platform or district approved data form Pre/Post Observation and Summative Forms (See Appendix) *Provide teacher/ Central Office summative copies	Year 3 Final Observation By May 1
observation by their im	Teachers and Other Professionals who are hired after Nov. 1 will receive only 1 mini and 1 full observation by their immediate supervisor. Teachers and Other Professionals who are hired after Mar. 1 will receive only 1 full observation by their immediate supervisor.			
evidence have been con	sidered, includir	ng professional gr	observations have been con owth planning/self-reflectio for determining the overall e r.	n, student voice surveys,
All personnel evaluated will be provided an opportunity for review of their summative evaluations. All written evaluations shall be discussed with the evaluatee, and he/she will be given the opportunity to attach a written statement to the summative evaluation form.				

#### **Observation Conferencing**

Observers/Evaluators will adhere to the following conferencing requirements for teachers and other professionals:

- Pre-conferences for mini observations may be scheduled at the request of either the evaluator or evaluatee but are not required.
- Pre-conferences for full observations may be held in person or via written exchange and the pre-conference form shall be submitted at least one day prior to the observation.
- Pre-conferences for unannounced observations cannot be required or expected.
- Post-conference, formal or informal, written or in person, shall be held within five (5) working days of the observation (by the end of the 5<sup>th</sup> day).
- It is understood that mini observations may not include all elements or all domains.
- The summative evaluation conference shall be held at the end of the summative evaluation cycle.

#### **Evaluator/Observer Certification**

All administrators serving as a primary evaluator must complete the Initial Certified Evaluation Training prior to conducting a summative evaluation. Evaluator training shall include: (a) Initial certified evaluation training and testing provided by the Kentucky Department of Education or a provider approved by the department;

(b) Training on KRS 156.557 and the requirements of this administrative regulation;

(c) Training in effective observation and conferencing techniques, in providing clear and timely feedback, in establishing and assisting with a professional growth plan, and in summative decision techniques; and

(d) A minimum of six (6) hours annually of personnel evaluation system training approved by the Effective Instructional Leadership Act established in 704 KAR 3:325.

#### **Third Party Observer Process**

If requested by the teacher, observations may be conducted by another administrator certified in current approved state platform. The selection process of the third-party observer shall, if possible, be determined through mutual agreement by evaluator and evaluatee. A teacher who exercises this option shall do so, in writing to the evaluator, by no later than February 15 of the academic year in which the summative evaluation occurs. If the evaluator and evaluatee have not agreed upon the selection of the third-party observer within five (5) working days of the teacher's written request, the evaluator shall select the third-party observer.

#### Peer Observation (optional)

A Peer Observer will observe, collect, share evidence, and provide feedback for formative purposes only. Peer Observers will not score a teacher's practice, nor is peer observation data shared with anyone other than the observee unless permission is granted. (See Table 4)

Table 4:

	Peer Observer
Peer Observer Selection Process	• Selected at the district level through consultation with the corresponding school principals. Peer observers will be paid a stipend for each teacher they are assigned.
Peer Observer Requirements	<ul> <li>Must be a certified teacher employed by the Livingston County School District and trained in effective peer observation and conferencing techniques (note that a free training is available through idrivedigital.com)</li> <li>Must be teaching at least one class during the year of the observation(s).</li> </ul>
Peer Observer/Observee Assignment	• Within 5 days of receiving assignment, observers or observees may request a change of assignment through their building supervisor. If this occurs, another peer observer will be selected from the pool of trained candidates, if availble.
Observee Responsibilities	• Work with the peer observer to schedule a time that is conducive to completing an observation and to complete pre-observation form and post-observation conference in a timely manner.
Peer Observer Caseload	• Peer observers caseloads are limited to five (5) observations per year (exceptions may be granted if needs arise).
Peer Observer Responsibilities	<ul> <li>Review pre-conference form.</li> <li>Conduct pre-conference if requested.</li> <li>Conduct mini-observation(s) or full observation.</li> <li>Conduct in-person or written post conference using the post conference form as a guide.</li> <li>Complete documentation in department-approved technology platform or district approved completion form prior to Dec. 20.</li> <li>Grant access to observation only to the observe.</li> </ul>
District and/or Administrative Responsibilities	<ul><li>Provide peer observation training opportunities.</li><li>Assign peer observers in collaboration with immediate supervisor.</li></ul>
Other Professionals	• Observations may be completed in settings other than a classroom.

#### **Student Voice** (optional)

The Student Voice Survey is a confidential, on-line survey that collects student feedback on specific aspects of the classroom experience and teaching practice. (See Table 5)

	Student Voice Survey
District Point of Contact	SIS Contact or Superintendent/Designee
Student Groups	The SIS or Superintendent/Designee, in consultation with school administration, shall designate a uniform number of participating student groups across the district. (minimum of 1 group of students per teacher)
SVS Administration	<ul> <li>The Principal will designate a School Student Voice Survey PoC.</li> <li>The Principal, in consultation with staff/BDM will determine the section to participate in the SVS, to provide equity across the school.</li> <li>The SVS PoC will create the SVS schedule.</li> <li>The teacher/other professional may not administer the SVS to students on their roster for the SVS; other school personnel will provide the administration.</li> <li>Students should have been in the class for at least 15 classroom days prior to the SVS.</li> </ul>
Teachers Student Roster	<ul> <li>Each teacher with a roster of ten (10) or more students shall have at least one (1) student group complete SVS, annually. More than one class/section may be combined to reach a minimum of ten (10) students.</li> <li>Other professionals may have less than 10 students complete the survey.</li> </ul>
K-12 Students Location	<ul> <li>Participate in SVS at the school</li> <li>Implementation through Infinite Campus (IC) Student Portal or other district approved process.</li> </ul>
Equal Access	<ul> <li>The Principal /Designee shall implement a schedule to provide equal access to technology for all students.</li> <li>All students, 3<sup>rd</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>, will be given the opportunity to complete at least one survey.</li> <li>Accommodations will be provided for students as documented by their IEP/504 Plan.</li> </ul>
Timeline	• District shall select at least one (1) window for implementation at all schools between 7:00 A.M5:00 P.M.
SVS Results	<ul> <li>Survey data will be available when teachers have ten (10) or more students respond.</li> <li>Survey data for other professionals will be available for fewer than ten (10) students.</li> <li>Results from formative years' data will be used to inform Professional Practice in the summative year with all prior years given consideration.</li> </ul>
SVS Ethic Statement	District & school level staff implementing SVS or with administrative IC rights are required to understand and comply with the SVS Ethic Statement.

#### Table 5: Student Voice Survey (SVS)

#### **Rating Professional Practice**

The Kentucky Framework for Teaching stands as the critical rubric for providing educators and evaluators with concrete descriptions of practices associated with specific domains. Each

element describes a discrete behavior or related set of behaviors that educators and evaluators can prioritize for evidence-gathering, feedback, and eventually, evaluation. Supervisors/evaluators will organize and analyze evidence for each individual educator based on these concrete descriptions of practice.

Evaluators and educators will be engaged in ongoing dialogue throughout the evaluation cycle. The process concludes with the evaluator's analysis of evidence and the final assessment of practice in relation to performance described under each Measure at the culmination of an educator's observation cycle. The evaluator will determine, based on evidence, a summative rating for each performance measure (Planning, Environment, Instruction, Professionalism) as reflected in the *The Kentucky Framework for Personnel Evaluation (see Table 6)*.

Performance Criteria Measures				
And Role	Planning (1)	Environment (2)	Instruction (3)	Professionalism (4)
Teacher KY Framework for Teaching	Domain 1 Planning and Preparation	Domain 2 Classroom Environment	Domain 3 Instruction	Domain 4 Professional Responsibilities
Other Professional The Kentucky Frameworks for Teaching- Specialists Frameworks	Domain 1 Planning and Preparation	Domain 2 The Environment	Domain 3 Delivery of Service	Domain 4 Professional Responsibilities
Principal Principal Performance Standards	Standard 3 Human Resource Management Standard 4 Organizational Management	Standard 2 School Climate Standard 5 Communication & Community Relations	Standard 1 Instructional Leadership	Standard 6 Professionalism
District Certified Personnel District determined performance criteria specific to evaluatee's job category	Performance criteria that characterizes professional effectiveness	Performance criteria that characterizes professional effectiveness	Performance criteria that characterizes professional effectiveness	Performance criteria that characterizes professional effectiveness

All ratings (see Table 7) must be recorded in department-approved or Board approved platform.

Minimum Criteria for Determining an Educator's Professi	onal Performance Rating
lf	Then
Measures 1 or 4 are rated INEFFECTIVE and Measures 2 &/or 3	Professional Performance Rating
are rated INEFFECTIVE, DEVELOPING, ACCOMPLISHED,	shall NOT be EXEMPLARY
and/or EXEMPLARY	
Measures 1 &/or 4 are rated DEVELOPING and/or	Professional Performance Rating
ACCOMPLISHED and Measures 2 and/or 3 are rated	shall be <b>DEVELOPING</b>
DEVELOPING	
Measures 1 & 4 are rated DEVELOPING and Measures 2 or 3 are	Professional Performance Rating
rated EXEMPLARY	shall be <b>DEVELOPING</b> .
Measures 1 & 4 are rated DEVELOPING and Measures 2 & 3 are	Professional Performance Rating
rated EXEMPLARY	shall be <b>EXEMPLARY</b>
Measures 2 & 3 are rated EXEMPLARY and Measures 1 and/or 4	Professional Performance Rating
are rated EXEMPLARY	shall be EXEMPLARY

#### Table 7: Criteria for Educator's Overall Performance Category Rating

Table 8: CEP Year-at-a-Glance Activity	Timeline	Staff Responsible
Professional Growth Plan (PGP)	Within 30	Teacher &
• Complete in or on District Approved Data Form (DADF)	days of hire	Immediate Supervisor
On-going Reflection shall occur	for new	as Collaborative Partners
Supporting Documentation/Artifacts may be submitted to supervisor(i.e.	employees)	
benchmark assessments, rubrics)		
Self-Reflection	By October	Teacher &
Review PGP	15	Immediate Supervisor
Submit for Review & Approval with revisions as needed	Annually	as Collaborative Partners
1 <sup>st</sup> Mini Observation for One (1) Year Summative Cycle	By	Immediate Supervisor
Completed by immediate supervisor	December	
Minimum 20 minutes	20	
Documented in or on DADF & Pre/Post Observation Forms	(Suggested)	
Peer Observation (if utilized)	By	Peer Observer
Completed by peer	December	
Pre-Observation form completed by teacher	20	
Documented in or on DADF		
PGP/Self-reflection	By January	Teacher/Other Professional
Complete Mid-Year Conference Form	31	& Immediate Supervisor as
	Annually	Collaborative Partners
2 <sup>nd</sup> Mini Observation for One (1) Year Summative Cycle	By	Immediate Supervisor
Completed by immediate supervisor	February	
Minimum 20 minutes	28	
Documented in or on DADF & Pre/Post Observation Forms	(Suggested)	
Full Observation for One (1) Year Summative Cycle	By April 15	Immediate Supervisor
• Final observation/ Full observation		
Complete End-of-Year Conference Form annually		
• Documented in or on DADF, Pre/Post Observation &		
Summative Forms		
*Provide teacher/ Central Office summative copies		
KTIP	By April 15	Immediate Supervisor
Complete District's CEP and summative evaluation.		
Mini Observations for Tenured Teachers (Year 3 of cycle)	By April 15	Immediate
Minimum 20 minutes		Supervisor/Designee
Complete Mid-Year/End-of-Year Conference Form annually		
Documented in SATP or on DADF & Pre/Post Observation Forms		
Mini Observations for Tenured Teachers (Years 1 and Year 2 of	By May 1	Immediate Supervisor
cycle)		
Minimum 20 minutes		
Complete Mid-Year/End-of-Year Conference Form annually		
Documented in or on DADF & Pre/Post Observation Forms		
Full Observations for Tenured Teachers	By May 1	Immediate Supervisor
• Final observation (Year 3 of cycle) /Full class period		
Complete Mid-Year/End-of-Year Conference Form annually		
Documented in or on DADF, Pre/Post Observation & Summative Forms		
Self-reflection/Professional Growth Plan (PGP)	By May 15	Teacher &
• Complete in or on District Approved Data Form (DADF)	Annually	Immediate Supervisor
On-going Reflection shall occur	(or within	as Collaborative Partners
Supporting Documentation/Artifacts may be submitted to supervisor(i.e.	30 days of	
benchmark assessments, rubrics)	hire for	
	new	
	employees)	

#### Principal and Assistant Principal- Professional Growth and Effectiveness System (PPGES)

The vision for the Professional Growth and Effectiveness System (PGES) is to have every school led by an effective principal. The goal is to create a fair and equitable system to measure principal effectiveness and act as a catalyst for professional growth.

Evaluators will look for trends and patterns in practice across multiple types of evidence and apply their professional judgment based on this evidence when evaluating a principal. The role of evidence and professional judgment in the determination of ratings on standards and an overall rating is paramount in this process. However, professional judgment is grounded in a common framework: the Principal Performance Standards.

#### **Principal Performance Standards**

The Principal Performance Standards are designed to support student achievement and professional best-practice through the standards of Instructional Leadership; School Climate; Human Resource Management; Organizational Management; Communication & Community Relations; and Professionalism. Included in the Performance Standards are Performance Indicators that provide examples of observable, tangible behaviors that provide evidence of each standard. The Performance Standards provide the structure for feedback for continuous improvement through individual goals that target professional growth, thus supporting overall student achievement and school improvement. Evidence supporting a principal's professional practice will be situated within one or more of the 6 standards. Performance will be rated for each standard according to the four performance levels: Ineffective, Developing, Accomplished, and Exemplary. It is important to note that the expected performance level is "Accomplished," but a good rule of thumb is that it is expected that a principal will "live in Accomplished but occasionally visit Exemplary". The summative rating will be a holistic representation of performance, combining data from multiple sources of evidence across each standard.

The use of professional judgment based on multiple sources of evidence promotes a more holistic and comprehensive analysis of practice, rather than over-reliance on one individual data point or rote calculation of practice based on predetermined formulas. However, one individual data point could carry significant weight and reliance in the overall evaluation. Evaluators will also take into account how principals respond to or apply additional supports and resources designed to promote student learning, as well as their own professional growth and development. Finally, professional judgment gives evaluators the flexibility to account for a wide variety of factors related to individual principal performance. These factors may include school-specific priorities that may drive practice in one standard, an educator's number of goals, experience level and/or leadership opportunities, and contextual variables that may impact the learning environment, such as unanticipated outside events or traumas.

Evaluators must use the following categories of evidence in determining overall ratings (as appropriate):

- Professional Growth Planning and Self-Reflection
- Principal Performance Standards
- Site-Visits

Evaluators may use the following categories of evidence in determining overall ratings:

- → Other Measures of Student Learning
- ➔ Products of Practice
- → Other Sources (e.g. surveys, stakeholder input, etc.)
  - $\circ$  Val-Ed 360° or other (on given years)
  - Working Conditions Goal (Based on TELL KY or other) on given years.

#### **Professional Practice**

The following sections provide a detailed overview of the various sources of evidence used to inform Professional Practice Ratings.

#### **Professional Growth Planning and Self-Reflection**

The Professional Growth Plan will address realistic, focused, and measurable professional goals. The plan will connect data from multiple sources including site-visit conferences, data on student growth and achievement, and professional growth needs identified through self-assessment and reflection. Self-reflection improves principal practice through ongoing, careful consideration of the impact of leadership practice on student growth and achievement. (See Table 9)

Principals & Assistant Principals			
Self-Reflection & Professional Growth Plan (PGP)			
Activity	Timeline	Responsible Staff	Resource
Review of Self-	By October 15 <sup>th</sup> in	-Principal in Collaboration	-Reflective Practice
Reflection &	department-approved	with	Student Growth and
PGP	technology platform or	Superintendent/Designee	Professional Growth Planning
	on District Approved		Template
	Data Form	-Assistant Principal in	- Survey Results
	30 calendar days after	Collaboration with	(i.e. TELL/Val-Ed/Other)
	reporting for employment for late hires	Principal	-Performance Standards
Mid-Year	By Jan. 31 <sup>st</sup> in	-Principal with	-Reflective Practice,
Review	department-approved	Superintendent/Designee	Student Growth, TELL Working
	technology platform or		Conditions and Professional
	on District Approved	-Assistant Principal with	Growth Planning Template
	Data Form	Principal	Survey Results
			(i.e. TELL/Val-Ed/Other)
			-Performance Standards
Complete	By May 15 <sup>th</sup> in	-Principal with	-Reflective Practice,
Self-Reflection	department-approved	Superintendent/Designee	Student Growth, TELL Working
& PGP using	technology platform or		Conditions and Professional
Performance	on District Approved	-Assistant Principal with	Growth Planning Template
Standards	Data Form	Principal	Survey Results
& Survey			(i.e. TELL/Val-Ed/Other)
Results		-Evaluator Reviews PGP	-Performance Standards
Documentation		Evidence prior to	
/Artifacts		Summative Evaluation	

# TABLE 9: PRINCIPAL & ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL SELF-REFLECTION & PROFESSIONALGROWTH PLAN

# Site-Visits – completed by supervisor of principal – formal site visits are not required for assistant principals

Site visits are a method by which the superintendent, or designee, may gain insight into the principal's practice in relation to the standards. Any scheduled visit to the school of one hour duration, or more, may can be considered a Site-Visit. Formal site visits are not required for an assistant principal. During a site visit, and/or during the post-conference, the superintendent or designee will discuss various aspects of the job with the principal and will use the principal's responses to determine issues to further explore with the faculty and staff. Additionally, the principal may explain the successes and trials the school community has experienced in relation to school improvement. (See Table 10)

	Principal Site Visits	
Activity	A minimum of two (2) formal site visits shall occur annually.	
Location	School site	
Suggested Timeline	*Visit #1 prior to mid-year review (Jan. 31 <sup>st</sup> ) for a minimum 1 hr.	
	*Visit #2 by April 15 <sup>th</sup> for a minimum 1 hr.	
	*Late hires will have their first visit adjusted as needed.	
Superintendent/Designee	*Schedule & conduct each site visits.	
	*Complete Observation/Site Visit Form. (See Appendix)	
	* Schedule & conduct post-conferences within 5 days following site visit /mid-	
	year review/summative conference.	
Resource	*Observation/Site Visit Form(See Appendix)	
	*Performance Standards documentation	
	*Other evidence: surveys, self-reflection, PGP, etc.	
<b>Conference Expectations</b>	* Reference the Observation/Site Visit Form suggested guiding	
	questions/prompts for Performance Standard conversations.	
	*Superintendent/Designee shall provide feedback on Performance Standards and	
	may provide feedback on: PGP/ principal practice/additional supporting	
	evidence, etc.	
	*Post conferences following the site visits shall occur within five working days.	
Site Visits Connected to	Superintendent/Designee shall gain insight and provide feedback on	
Performance Standards	Performance Level of Performance Standards from observation, evidence, and	
	conversation.	

#### **TABLE 10: PRINCIPAL SITE VISITS**

#### **Val-Ed 360° (or other) - completed for principals only, if utilized** (See Table 11)

The VAL-ED 360° is an assessment that provides feedback on a principal's learning-centered behaviors by using input from the principal, his/her supervisor, and teachers. If implemented, all teachers will participate in the Val-Ed 360°. The results of the survey will be included as a source of data to inform each principal's professional practice rating. Principals hired after Jan. 1 will not participate in the VAL-ED survey.

Val-ED 360		
District Point of Contact	Certified Evaluation District PoC OR Superintendent/Designee	
Frequency	Shall be given at least once every two years in the school year that TELL	
	Kentucky is not administered	
Timeline	The survey will be completed prior to March 30.	
	Principals hired after Jan. 1 will not participate in the VAL-ED survey.	
Use of Results	Inform principal practices for reflection and professional growth in regard to learning centered leadership behaviors with respect to teacher, supervisor, and personal perceptions, as noted in the Principal Performance Standards.	
Access to Results	Superintendent, Principal and District PoC or Superintendent designee	

#### TABLE 11: VAL-ED 360

#### Working Conditions Goal, if utilized (Goal inherited by Assistant Principal)

Principals may set a 2-year Working Conditions Goal (WCG) based on the most recent TELL Kentucky Survey. The principal's effort to accomplish the WCG is a powerful way to enhance professional performance and, in turn, positively impact school culture and student success. **TABLE 12: WORKING CONDITIONS GOAL** 

Working C	onditions Goal (WCG) for Principals and Assistant Principals		
Activity	Creation of WCG using TELL Kentucky Survey data and VAL-ED data		
Responsible Staff	Principal/assistant principal		
Timeline	Every two (2) years		
Working Conditions Goal(s)	1 goal minimum (of a two-year goal) after the completion of the TELL Kentucky		
	Survey		
Process for Development of WCG Action Plan	<ul> <li>Principal and superintendent/designee identify areas of greatest need of improvement based on the TELL questions and VAL_ED to select the growth area that will have the greatest impact on school culture/student success.</li> <li>Principal and superintendent/designee will write the WCG statement using SMART format and ensuring rigor to be accomplished in the 2-year cycle.</li> <li>Principal and superintendent/designee will develop a WCG Action Plan with strategies, actions, resources, supports and completion dates.</li> <li>All decisions shall be determined in a collaborative process.</li> <li>After 1 year, the principal will be asked to provide evidence demonstrating progress towards the Working Conditions Goal.</li> </ul>		
Conducting Mid-Year Review	<ul> <li>By Jan. 31<sup>st</sup> Principal &amp; Superintendent/Designee shall have an in-person and/or written review on:         <ul> <li>Reflective Practice Student Growth and Professional Growth Planning Template: Part C</li> <li>The Principal and Superintendent/Designee may use results from a variety of sources in the box below as additional evidence that link to the Working</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
Products of Practice Additional Evidence to Inform WCG	<ul> <li>Conditions Goals.</li> <li>Principals/Assistant Principals may provide additional evidences to suppor assessment of their own professional practice. These evidences should yiel information related to the principal's/assistant principal's practice within th domains. These sources of evidence may include, but are not limited to:         <ul> <li>SBDM Minutes</li> <li>Faculty Meeting artifacts</li> <li>Department/Grade Levels artifacts</li> <li>PLC artifacts</li> <li>Leadership Meeting artifacts</li> <li>Instructional Round/Walk-through documentation</li> <li>Budgets/Audit information</li> <li>EILA/Professional Learning experience documentation</li> <li>Surveys</li> <li>Professional Organization memberships</li> <li>Parent/Community engagement surveys</li> <li>Parent/Community engagement surveys</li> <li>School safety requirements</li> <li>CSIP/Progress Notes</li> <li>Title I Schoolwide Diagnostic</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		

#### **Determining the Overall Performance Category**

Evaluators are responsible for determining an Overall Performance Category for each principal/assistant principal for the conclusion of the summative evaluation. The evaluator determines the Overall Performance Category based on professional judgment informed by evidence that demonstrates the educator's performance against the Standards.

#### **Rating Overall Professional Practice**

A principal's Overall Performance Category is determined by the evaluator based on the principal's ratings on each Measure. Using the sources of evidence for principals/assistant principals, evaluators will use professional judgment to determine a rating for each measure (Table 13).

#### Table 13:

Minimum Criteria for Determining a Principal's Professional Performance Rating		
lf	Then	
Measures 2 & 3 are rated INEFFECTIVE and Measures 1 &/or 4	Professional Performance Rating	
are rated INEFFECTIVE, DEVELOPING, ACCOMPLISHED,	shall be INEFFECTIVE	
and/or EXEMPLARY		
Measures 1 or 4 are rated INEFFECTIVE and Measures 2 &/or 3	Professional Performance Rating	
are rated INEFFECTIVE, DEVELOPING, ACCOMPLISHED,	shall NOT be EXEMPLARY	
and/or EXEMPLARY		
Measures 1 &/or 4 are rated DEVELOPING and/or	Professional Performance Rating	
ACCOMPLISHED and Measures 2 and/or 3 are rated	shall be <b>DEVELOPING</b>	
DEVELOPING		
Measures 1 & 4 are rated DEVELOPING and Measures 2 or 3 are	Professional Performance Rating	
rated EXEMPLARY	shall be <b>DEVELOPING</b> .	
Measures 1 & 4 are rated DEVELOPING and Measures 2 & 3 are	Professional Performance Rating	
rated EXEMPLARY	shall be <b>EXEMPLARY</b>	
Measures 2 & 3 are rated EXEMPLARY and Measures 1 and/or 4	Professional Performance Rating	
are rated EXEMPLARY	shall be <b>EXEMPLARY</b>	

#### **Summative Evaluation (PPGES)**

The summative evaluation conference shall occur after all sources of evidence have been considered according to the Overall Professional Practice Rating system (see Table 13). This includes professional growth planning/self-reflection, site-visits, working conditions, and other evidence deemed relevant for determining the overall effectiveness rating for the principal/assistant principal. The summative evaluation will be in writing on the district summative evaluation form. A copy of the evaluation will be given to the evaluatee.

All personnel evaluated will be provided an opportunity for review of their summative evaluations. All written evaluations shall be communicated with the evaluatee, and he/she will be given the opportunity to attach a written statement to the summative evaluation form. Both the evaluator and evaluatee shall be provided the opportunity to sign and date the evaluation instrument, in person or digital. All summative evaluations will become a part of the official personnel record and shall be filed in the central office. All ratings must be recorded in

department-approved technology platform or a district approved data form. Summative ratings will be completed by May 1<sup>st</sup> and will be used to determine the type of professional growth plan to be developed for the next year.

#### **Determining the Professional Growth Plan and Summative Cycle**

Based on the overall Professional Practice rating, the Superintendent, in consultation with the Principal, will determine the type of Professional Growth Plan required of the principal.

#### District Certified Staff- Professional Growth and Effectiveness System- (DCPGES)

The DCPGES is to be used by all certified district level personnel, not including the Superintendent. District certified staff are personnel who oversee district-wide programs and whose work may not impact students directly while providing critical support to school and Board office administrators.

#### Self-Reflection & Professional Growth Goals

Self-Reflection is a process by which educators assess the effectiveness of their instructional planning, implementation, content knowledge, beliefs, and dispositions for the purpose of self-improvement. When educators use data to reflect on what worked, what did not work, and what types of changes they might make to be more successful, the likelihood of knowing how to improve increases dramatically. Evidence suggests that self-reflection is a critical component of the evaluation process (Airason & Gullickson, 2006; Tucker, Stronge, & Gareis, 2002).

The goal of self-reflection is to improve teaching practices and student learning through ongoing thinking on how professional practices impact teacher and student learning. The attainment of this goal is facilitated through the development of a professional growth plan that either develops or hones professional practices and leadership skills.

The goal of a Professional Growth Plan is to facilitate the translation of growth needs identified through self-reflection and other processes into practical activities and experiences that are of value to educators in strengthening their competencies in the identified growth need areas. An action plan developed as part of the professional growth planning process should include activities designed to support collaboration, learning, and impact delivery goals of the district. Research shows that in order for professional growth to be effective, it should be a deliberate process that occurs within the context of a professional's daily activities and connects back to student learning (Marzano, 2003).

The Professional Growth Plan should address realistic, focused and measurable professional goals. Professional growth needs are identified through self-assessment and reflection. As district staff collaborate to identify explicit goals, these goals should become the focus of professional growth activities.

Reflective practices and professional growth planning are cyclical in design. The educator (1) reflects on his/her current growth needs based on the Self-Reflection tool and identifies an area or areas for focus; (2) collaborates with the supervisor to develop a Professional Growth Plan and action steps; (3) implements the plan; (4) regularly reflects on the progress and impact of the plan on professional practice; (5) modifies the plan as appropriate; (6) and continues

implementation and reflection. The district employee should meet with the superintendent or designee to develop and receive feedback on the PGP.

#### Professional Growth Goals will be written on the District Approved Data Form.

Professional Growth Goals and action plans should address the following questions: 1. What do I want to improve about my practice that will effectively impact my job performance?

2. How can I develop a plan of action to address my professional learning?

3. How will I know if I accomplished my objective?

Self-Reflection & Professional Growth Plan (PGP)			
District Certified Staff			
Activity	Timeline	<b>Responsible Staff</b>	Resource
Review of Self-	By October 15 <sup>th</sup> in	District Certified Staff in	DCPGES Reflective Practice
Reflection &	department-	Collaboration with	Student Growth and
PGP	approved	Superintendent/Designee	Professional Growth Planning
	technology		Template
	platform or on		
	District Approved		Survey Results
	Data Form (DADF)		(i.e. TELL/Val-Ed/Other)
	30 calendar days after		
	reporting for employment for late		
	hires		
Review of Self-	By September 30 <sup>th</sup>	District Certified Staff in	DCPGES Reflective Practice
Reflection &	in department-	Collaboration with	Student Growth and
Collaboratively	approved	Superintendent/Designee	Professional Growth Planning
Develop PGP	technology		Template
	platform or on		
	DADF		Survey Results
			(i.e. TELL/Val-Ed/Other)
	30 calendar days after		
	reporting for employment for late		
	hires		
Mid-Year	By Jan. 31 <sup>st</sup> in	District Certified Staff in	DCPGES Reflective Practice
Review	department-	Collaboration with	Student Growth and
	approved	Superintendent/Designee	Professional Growth Planning
	technology		Template
	platform or on		
	DADF		Survey Results
			(i.e. TELL/Val-Ed/Other)
Review of Self-	By May 15 <sup>th</sup> in	District Certified Staff in	DCPGES Reflective Practice
Reflection &	department-	Collaboration with	Student Growth and
Collaboratively	approved	Superintendent/Designee	Professional Growth Planning
Develop PGP	technology		Template
	platform or on		Survey Results
	DADF		(i.e. TELL/Val-Ed/Other)

#### TABLE 14: SELF-REFLECTION & PROFESSIONAL GROWTH PLAN

#### **Observation/Site Visit:**

#### **OBSERVATION RATIONALE**

The observation process is one source of evidence that includes supervisor (formal) and peer observation (informal/formative). The supervisor observation/visit will provide *documentation and feedback* to measure the effective practices of the district employee whereas the peer observation will focus on the *collaborative process* in order to provide *supportive and constructive feedback*. The underlying rationale of each type of observation is to encourage continuous professional growth through critical reflection.

Observations may look more like a site visit. The observer visits the District Certified Professional when they are with teachers, during 'office' or 'planning' hours, or leading team meetings. Therefore, an evaluator may conduct the observation using questions similar to those used in the Principal's Site Visit.

The observation process is designed to create conversation between the employee and supervisor around the roles and responsibilities that relate to the employee's field and how the professional meets them. Observations will use the Framework best aligned to the specific role, as determined by the employee and evaluator. A Crosswalk of the Superintendent and Principal Standards are included in appendix A of this document as a resource. Standards may be selected from either, or both, sets of standards. Some general categories to consider are: instructional improvement, assessment and accountability, professional learning, and leadership.

	District Certified Observations/Site Visits	
Activity	A minimum of one (1) observation/site visits shall occur annually.	
Timeline	*Supervisor visit/observation by April 15 <sup>th</sup>	
	*Late hires will have their first visit adjusted as needed.	
Superintendent/Designee	*Schedule & conduct visit(s)	
	*Schedule & conduct post-conferences/mid-year review/summative conference	
Resource	* DCPGES Reflective Practice, Student Growth and Professional Growth	
	Planning Template/Observation Instrument (See Appendix)	
	*Performance Standards documentation	
	*Other evidence: surveys, self-reflection, PGP, SGG	
<b>Conference Expectations</b>	* Reference the PPGES Observation/Site Visit Form for suggested guiding	
	questions/prompts for Performance Standard conversations	
	*Superintendent/Designee shall provide feedback on Performance Standards and	
	may provide feedback on: PGP, and other additional supporting evidence as	
	appropriate	
	*Post conferences following the site visits/observation shall occur within five	
	working days	
Site Visits Connected to	Superintendent/Designee shall gain insight and provide feedback on	
Performance Standards	Performance Level of Performance Standards from observation, evidence, and	
	conversation	

#### TABLE 15: DISTRICT CERTIFIED OBSERVATIONS/SITE VISITS

**Performance Levels:** District employees' Overall Performance Categories are determined by the evaluator based on the ratings on each measure. Evaluators will use professional judgment to determine a rating for each measure (Table 16).

#### Table 16:

Minimum Criteria for Determining an Educator's Professional Performance Rating		
If	Then	
Measures 2 & 3 re rated INEFFECTIVE and Measures 1 &/or 4 are rated INEFFECTIVE, DEVELOPING, ACCOMPLISHED, and/or EXEMPLARY	Professional Performance Rating shall be <b>INEFFECTIVE</b>	
Measures 1 or 4 are rated INEFFECTIVE and Measures 2 &/or 3 are rated INEFFECTIVE, DEVELOPING, ACCOMPLISHED, and/or EXEMPLARY	Professional Performance Rating shall <b>NOT</b> be <b>EXEMPLARY</b>	
Measures 1 &/or 4 are rated DEVELOPING and/or ACCOMPLISHED and Measures 2 and/or 3 are rated DEVELOPING	Professional Performance Rating shall be <b>DEVELOPING</b>	
Measures 1 & 4 are rated DEVELOPING and Measures 2 or 3 are rated EXEMPLARY	Professional Performance Rating shall be <b>DEVELOPING</b> .	
Measures 1 & 4 are rated DEVELOPING and Measures 2 & 3 are rated EXEMPLARY	Professional Performance Rating shall be <b>EXEMPLARY</b>	
Measures 2 & 3 are rated EXEMPLARY and Measures 1 and/or 4 are rated EXEMPLARY	Professional Performance Rating shall be <b>EXEMPLARY</b>	

The following designations will be used to indicate the progress of a district employee:

Exemplary:	Exceeds the standard	
Accomplished:	Meets the standard	
Developing:	Makes growth toward meeting the standard	
Ineffective:	Area(s) required to be addressed in the	
	Professional Growth Plan	

All personnel evaluated will be provided an opportunity for review of their summative evaluations. All written evaluations shall be communicated with the evaluatee, and he/she will be given the opportunity to attach a written statement to the summative evaluation form. Both the evaluator and evaluatee shall be provided the opportunity to sign and date the evaluation instrument, in person or digital. All summative evaluations will become a part of the official personnel record and shall be filed in the central office. All ratings must be recorded in department-approved technology platform or a district approved data form. Summative ratings will be completed by May 1<sup>st</sup> and will be used to determine the type of professional growth plan to be developed for the next year.

## LIVINGSTON COUNTY SCHOOLS APPEALS PROCESS

#### **APPEALS PANEL**

An Appeals Panel shall be established in accordance with KRS Chapter 156 and 704 KAR 003.370. Based on issues identified in an employee's appeal documentation, the Panel shall determine whether the employee has demonstrated that a procedural violation has occurred under the District's evaluation plan and whether the summative evaluation is supported by the evidence.

The Board of Education shall appoint one certified employee and one alternate certified employee to the panel. The chairperson of the panel shall be the certified employee appointed by the Board.

Two members of the panel shall be elected by and from the certified employees of the district. Two alternates shall also be elected by and from the certified employees, to serve in the event an elected member cannot serve. Each certified employee has the right to be nominated and to vote in the process.

Of those certified employees on the ballot, the two (2) people receiving the highest number of votes from all certified staff will be the elected members of the Appeals Panel with the persons being third (3) and fourth (4) serving as alternates. If it is not possible to establish a panel, due to conflicts of interest, a special election for elected positions will be held in a timely manner.

All terms of panel members and alternates shall be for one (1) year and run from July1 to June 30. Members may be reappointed or reelected.

No Panel member shall serve on any Appeal Panel considering an appeal for which she/he was the evaluator. A Panel Member shall not hear an appeal filed by his/her immediate supervisor. Panel Members with friendship ties to either appealing party shall request to be replaced by an alternate Panel Member.

Whenever a Panel Member or a Panel Member's immediate family appeals to the Panel, the member shall not serve for that appeal. Immediate family shall include father, mother, brother, sister, spouse, son, daughter, uncle, aunt, nephew, niece, grandparent and corresponding in-laws.

#### **APPEALS PROCESS**

Pursuant to Board Policy 03.18, any certified employee who believes that s/he was not fairly evaluated on the summative evaluation may appeal to the panel within five (5) working days of the receipt of the summative evaluation. Both the evaluator and the evaluatee shall be given the opportunity, at least five (5) days in advance of the hearing to review documents that are to be presented to the District evaluation appeals panel, and may have representation of their choosing. The appeal shall be signed and in writing on a form prescribed by the District evaluation committee. The form shall state that evaluation records may be presented to and reviewed by the panel.

The burden of proof that an employee was not fairly and/or correctly evaluated on the summative evaluation rests with the employee who appeals to the Panel. The Appeal must be in accordance with the following procedures:

1. Both the evaluatee and evaluator shall submit three (3) copies of any appropriate documentation to be reviewed by members of the Appeals Panel in the presence of all three (3) members. The parties will exchange copies of documentation by or before the day it is submitted to the Panel. The members of the Appeals Panel will be the only persons to review the documentation. All documentation will be located in a secure place in the Central Office

except during Appeals Panel meetings. Confidentiality will be maintained. Copies of the documentation, once submitted to the Panel, shall not be carried away from the established meeting by either parties involved or the Panel members.

- 2. The Panel will meet, review all documents, discuss, and prepare questions to be asked of each party by the Chairperson. Additional questions may be posed by Panel members during the hearing.
- 3. The Panel will set the time and place for the hearing, and the Chairperson will provide written notification to the appealing employee and his/her evaluator of the date, time, and place to appear before the Panel to answer questions.
- 4. Legal counsel and/or chosen representative may be present during the hearing to represent either or both parties.
- 5. The hearing will be audiotaped and a copy provided to both parties if requested in writing. The original will be maintained by the District.
- 6. Only Panel members, the evaluatee and evaluator, legal counsel, witnesses, and the employee's chosen representative, will be present at the hearing.
- 7. Witnesses may be presented, but will be called one at a time and will not be allowed to observe the proceedings.

#### **APPEALS HEARING**

- 1. The Chairperson of the Appeals Panel will convene the hearing, review procedures, and clarify the Panel's responsibilities.
- 2. Each party will be allowed to make a statement of claim. The evaluatee will begin.
- 3. The evaluatee may present relevant evidence in support of the appeal.
- 4. The evaluator may present evidence in support of the summative evaluation.
- 5. The Panel may question the evaluatee and evaluator.
- 6. The Chairperson may disallow materials and/or information to be presented or used in the hearing when s/he determines that such materials and/or information is not relevant to the appeal or when the materials were not exchanged between the parties as provided in this procedure.
- 7. Each party (evaluator and evaluatee) will be asked to make closing remarks.
- 8. The chairperson of the Panel will make closing remarks.
- 9. The decision of the Panel, after sufficiently reviewing all evidence, may include, but not be limited to, the following:
  - a. Upholding all parts of the original evaluation.
  - b. Voiding the original evaluation or parts of it.
  - c. Ordering a new evaluation by a second certified employee who shall be a trained evaluator.
- 10. The chairperson of the Panel shall present the Panel's decision to the evaluatee, evaluator, and the Superintendent within fifteen (15) working days from the date the appeal is filed.
- 11. The Superintendent may take appropriate action consistent with the Panel's decision.

- 12. The Panel's decision and the original summative evaluation form shall be placed in the employee's evaluation file. In the case of a new evaluation, both evaluations shall be included in the employee's personnel file.
- 13. The Panel's decision may be appealed to the Kentucky Board of Education based on grounds and procedures contained in statute and regulation.

According to 704 KAR 3:370 Section 12,

Section 12. State Evaluation Appeals Panel. (1) A certified school personnel who believes that the local district is not properly implementing the district certified evaluation plan as approved by the department shall have the opportunity to appeal to the Kentucky Board of Education.

(2) The appeal procedures shall be as established in this subsection.

(a) The Kentucky Board of Education shall appoint a committee of three (3) state board members to serve on the State Evaluation Appeals Panel (SEAP). The SEAP's jurisdiction shall be limited to procedural matters already addressed by the local appeals panel related to the district's alleged failure to implement an evaluation plan as approved by the department. The SEAP shall not have jurisdiction of a complaint involving the professional judgmental conclusion of an evaluation, and the SEAP's review shall be limited to the record of proceedings and documents therein, or lack thereof, at the local district level.

(b) No later than thirty (30) days after the final action or decision at the local district level, a certified school personnel may submit a written request to the chief state school officer for a review before the SEAP. If a certified school personnel does not appeal within the time frame listed in this paragraph, the request shall not be considered. A specific description of the complaint and grounds for appeal shall be submitted with this request.

(c) A brief, written statement, and other document that a party wished to submit for consideration by the SEAP shall be filed with the panel and served on the opposing party at least twenty (20) days prior to the scheduled review.

(d) A decision of the SEAP shall be rendered within fifteen (15) working days after the review.

(e) A determination of district noncompliance with the district evaluation plan or absence of a district local evaluation plan shall render the evaluation void.

### LIVINGSTON COUNTY SCHOOLS APPEALS PANEL HEARING REQUEST FORM

I,		, have been
evaluated by		as noted
		conference) evaluation summary.
reviewed, and document disagreement(s). I respectfully request Panel to hear my appeal. of the following):	ed with my evaluator, i t the Livingston County This appeal challenges t	uation has been thoroughly discussed, ncluding a written statement of my School District Evaluation Appeals he summative findings on (check one Both Substance & Procedure
What specifically do you of (Additional pages and document		eel you were not fairly evaluated?
I hereby give my consent j Evaluation Appeal Panel j	•	to be presented to the members of the
Signature	Da	te
Date of Summative confer	rence	
Date evaluator notified of	intent to appeal	
Signature of Evaluator		Date

This form shall be presented in person or by mail to appointed chair of the appeals panel within five (5) working instructional days of completion of the summative conference.

### PRELIMINARY HEARING

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Time: \_\_\_\_\_

PURPOSE

The purpose of the preliminary hearing is to exchange documents and establish hearing procedures.

The following information will be provided to the Panel by the evaluatee and the evaluator at this time:

- Documentation to be presented at the hearing-- four (4) copies
- The name of their chosen representative / counsel (if any)--restricted to one (1)
- Witnesses to be called (if any)

The chairperson will explain the procedure for the hearing and any necessary timeline to be followed. The hearing is a personnel matter and closed to the public. Witnesses that are called will not be allowed to observe the hearing process other than during their testimony. The Board of Education shall provide legal counsel to the Panel, if requested.

# LIVINGSTON COUNTY SCHOOLS APPEALS PANEL

## **REPORT OF FINDINGS**

Evaluatee: Representative:

Evaluator (s): Representative:

Panel Members:

Preliminary Hearing: Hearing Date:

Findings:

- a. Uphold the original evaluation
- b. Order a new evaluation by a second party.
- c. Amend any or all of the summative evaluation the Panel finds in error.

The Local District Appeals Panel has carefully reviewed the information presented and in our best professional judgment we believe our findings to be accurate.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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# **Livingston County Schools** Appendix

# **Guidance Counselor Self-Reflection/Observation Tool**

**Directions:** Highlight a rating for each component and then type in the rationale box to explain the rating.

Teacher: Observer:		_ Da	ate:		School:
Component:		Rat	ing:		Evidence: (additional sources as needed)
<i>1A</i> - Demonstrating knowledge of counseling theory and techniques	Ι	D	A	Е	
<i>1B</i> - Demonstrating knowledge of child and adolescent development	Ι	D	А	E	
<i>1C</i> - Establishing goals for the counseling program appropriate to the setting and the students served	Ι	D	А	Е	
<i>1D</i> - Demonstrating knowledge of state and federal regulations and of resources both within and beyond the school and district	Ι	D	A	E	
<i>1E</i> - Plan in the counseling program integrated with the regular school program	Ι	D	A	E	
<i>1F</i> - Developing a plan to evaluate the counseling program	Ι	D	A	E	
2A - Creating an environment of respect and rapport	Ι	D	A	E	
<i>2B</i> - Establishing a culture for productive communication	Ι	D	A	E	
2C - Managing routines and procedures	Ι	D	Α	E	
<i>2D</i> - Establishing standards of conduct and contributing to the culture for student behavior throughout the school	Ι	D	A	E	
2E - Organizing physical space	Ι	D	Α	Е	
<i>3A</i> - Assessing student needs	Ι	D	Α	Е	
<ul> <li>3B - Assisting students and teachers in the formulation of academic personal social and career plans based on knowledge of student needs</li> <li>3C - Using counseling text makes an individual and</li> </ul>	I	D	A	E	
classroom programs					
<i>3D</i> - Brokering resources to meet needs	Ι	D	Α	E	
<i>3E</i> - Demonstrating flexibility and responsiveness <i>4A</i> - Reflecting on practice	I I	D D	A A	E E	
<ul> <li>4A - Reflecting on practice</li> <li>4B - Maintaining records and submitting them in a timely fashion</li> </ul>	I	D	AA	E	
4C - Communicating with families	Ι	D	Α	Е	
4D - Participating in a professional community	Ι	D	Α	Е	
4E - Engaging in professional development	Ι	D	Α	E	
4F - Showing professionalism	Ι	D	А	E	

Observee's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Observer's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

# Instructional Specialist Self-Reflection/Observation Tool

**Directions:** Highlight a rating for each component and then type in the rationale box to explain the rating.

 Teacher:
 Observer:
 Date:
 School:

Component:		Rat	ing:		Evidence: (additional sources as needed)
1A - Demonstrating knowledge of current trends in	I	D	A	Е	
specialty area and professional development	1	D	A	Е	
1B - Demonstrating knowledge of the school's					
program and levels of teacher skill in delivering that	Ι	D	Α	E	
program					
<i>1C</i> - Establishing goals for the instructional support program appropriate to the setting and the teachers	Ι	D	А	Е	
served	1	D	A	E	
<i>1D</i> - Demonstrating knowledge of resources both					
within and beyond the school and district	Ι	D	А	E	
<i>1E</i> - Planning the instructional support program	т	Б		Б	
integrated with the overall school program	Ι	D	А	E	
1F - Developing a plan to evaluate the instructional	I	D	А	Е	
support program	_	D	Л	Б	
2A - Creating an environment of trust and respect	Ι	D	Α	E	
2B - Establishing a culture for ongoing instructional	I	D	А	Е	
improvement	•	D		-	
<i>2C</i> - Establishing clear procedures for teachers to	Ι	D	А	Е	
gain access to the instructional support					
<i>2D</i> - Establishing and maintaining norms of behavior for professional interactions	Ι	D	А	Е	
2 <i>E</i> - Organizing physical space for workshops or					
training	Ι	D	Α	E	
<i>3A</i> - Collaborating with teachers in the design of	т	р		Б	
instructional units and lessons	Ι	D	Α	E	
3B -Engaging teachers in learning new instructional	I	D	А	Е	
skills	_	D	11		
3C - Sharing expertise with staff	Ι	D	Α	E	
<i>3D</i> - Locating resources for teachers to support	Ι	D	А	Е	
instructional improvement					
<i>3E</i> - Demonstrating flexibility and responsiveness	Ι	D	A	E	
4A - Reflecting on practice	Ι	D	Α	E	
4B - Preparing and submitting budgets and reports	Ι	D	Α	Е	
4C - Coordinating work with other instructional	Ι	D	А	Е	
specialists					
4D - Participating in a professional community	Ι	D	Α	E	
4E - Engaging in professional development	Ι	D	Α	Е	
4F - Showing professionalism including integrity	I	D	А	Е	
and confidentiality	•	~	••		

Observee's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Observer's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

# Library Media Specialist Self-Reflection/Observation Tool

**Directions:** Highlight a rating for each component and then type in the rationale box to explain the rating.

Teacher:	Observer:	_ Da	ate: _			School:
	Component:		Rat	ing:		Evidence: (additional sources as needed)
	g Knowledge of Content Curriculum	Ι	D	A	Е	
and Process	g Knowledge of Students	Ι	D	А	Е	
<i>1C</i> -Supporting Instruction		I	D	A	E	
11 0					E	
	ng Knowledge and Use of Resources	I	D	A		
Lifelong Learning	ng a Knowledge of Literature and	Ι	D	А	E	
	in the Design of Instructional	Ι	D	А	E	
Experiences						
-	vironment of respect and rapport	Ι	D	Α	E	
8	a Culture for Learning	Ι	D	Α	E	
2C - Managing Lib	orary Procedures	Ι	D	А	Е	
2D - Managing stu	ident behavior	Ι	D	А	Е	
2E - Organizing p	hysical space	Ι	D	А	Е	
3A - Communicati	ng Clearly and Accurately	Ι	D	А	Е	
	ning and Research Techniques	Ι	D	А	Е	
3C - Engaging Stu	dents in Learning	Ι	D	А	Е	
one and small gro		Ι	D	А	E	
3E - Demonstratio	ng Flexibility and Responsiveness	Ι	D	А	E	
4A - Reflecting on	Practice	Ι	D	А	E	
4B - Maintaining A	Accurate Records	Ι	D	А	E	
4C - Communicati	ng with School Staff and Community	Ι	D	А	E	
4D - Participating	in a Professional Community	Ι	D	А	Е	
4E - Growing and	Developing Professionally	Ι	D	Α	E	
4F Collection Dev	elopment and Maintenance	Ι	D	А	Е	
4G- Managing the	Library Budget	Ι	D	А	E	
4H- Managing Per	sonnel	Ι	D	Α	Е	
41- Professional et	hics	Ι	D	А	E	

Observee's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Observer's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

# Psychologist Self-Reflection/Observation Tool

**Directions:** Highlight a rating for each component and then type in the rationale box to explain the rating.

Teacher: Observer:		_ Da	te:		School:
Component:		Rat	ing:		Evidence: (additional sources as needed)
<i>1A</i> - Demonstrating knowledge and skill in using psychological instruments to evaluate students	Ι	D	A	Е	
<i>1B</i> - Demonstrating knowledge of child and adolescent development and psychopathology	Ι	D	А	Е	
<i>1C</i> - Establishing goals for the psychology program appropriate to the setting and the students served	Ι	D	А	Е	
1D - Demonstrating knowledge of state and federal regulations and the resources both within and beyond the school and district	Ι	D	A	E	
<i>1E</i> - Planning the psychology program integrated with the regular school program to meet the needs of individual students and including prevention	Ι	D	А	E	
<i>1F</i> - Developing a plan to evaluate the psychology program	Ι	D	A	Е	
2A- Establishing rapport with students	Ι	D	Α	E	
<i>2B</i> - Establishing a culture for positive mental health throughout the school	Ι	D	A	E	
<i>2C</i> - Establishing and maintaining clear procedures for referrals	Ι	D	A	E	
<i>2D</i> - Establishing standards of conduct in the testing center	Ι	D	А	E	
<i>2E</i> - Organizing physical space for testing the students and storage of materials	Ι	D	A	E	
<i>3A</i> - Responding to referrals consulting with teachers and administrators	Ι	D	А	Е	
<i>3B</i> - Evaluating student needs and compliance with national Association of school psychologists NASP guidelines	Ι	D	A	E	
<i>3C</i> - Chairing evaluation team	Ι	D	Α	E	
<i>3D</i> - Planning interventions to maximize student's likelihood of success	Ι	D	A	E	
<i>3E</i> - Maintaining contact with physicians and community mental health service providers	Ι	D	A	E	
<i>3F</i> - Demonstrating flexibility and responsiveness					
4A - Reflecting on practice	Ι	D	Α	Е	
4B - Communicating with families	Ι	D	Α	E	
4C - Maintaining accurate records	Ι	D	Α	Е	
4D - Participating in a professional community	Ι	D	Α	Е	
<i>4E</i> - Engaging in professional development	Ι	D	Α	Е	
4F - Showing professionalism	Ι	D	А	E	

Observee's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Observer's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

# **Teacher Self-Reflection/Observation Tool**

**Directions:** Highlight a rating for each component and then type in the rationale box to explain the rating.

Seacher: Observer:		Date:			School:
Component:	Sel	f-Ass	essm	ent:	Rationale: (additional sources as needed)
1A - Demonstrating Knowledge of Content and Pedagogy	Ι	D	A	Е	
1B - Demonstrating Knowledge of Students	Ι	D	Α	Е	
1C - Selecting Instructional Outcomes	Ι	D	А	Е	
1D - Demonstrating Knowledge of Resources	Ι	D	Α	Е	
1E - Designing Coherent Instruction	Ι	D	Α	Е	
1F - Designing Student Assessment	Ι	D	Α	Е	
2A - Creating an Environment of Respect and Rapport	Ι	D	А	Е	
2B - Establishing a Culture for Learning	Ι	D	А	Е	
2C - Managing Classroom Procedures	Ι	D	А	Е	
2D - Managing Student Behavior	Ι	D	Α	Е	
2E - Organizing Physical Space	Ι	D	Α	Е	
3A - Communicating with Students	Ι	D	А	Е	
3B - Using Questioning and Discussion Techniques	Ι	D	А	Е	
3C - Engaging Students in Learning	Ι	D	А	Е	
3D - Using Assessment in Instruction	Ι	D	А	Е	
3E - Demonstrating Flexibility and Responsiveness	Ι	D	А	Е	
4A - Reflecting on Teaching	Ι	D	А	Е	
4B - Maintaining Accurate Records	Ι	D	А	Е	
4C - Communicating with Families	Ι	D	А	Е	
4D - Participating in a Professional Community	Ι	D	Α	Е	
4E - Growing and Developing Professionally	Ι	D	А	Е	
4F - Demonstrating Professionalism	Ι	D	Α	Е	

Observee's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Observer's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

# Therapeutic Specialist Self-Reflection/Observation Tool

**Directions:** Highlight a rating for each component and then type in the rationale box to explain the rating.

Teacher:	Observer:	Date:			School:	
Co	mponent:		Rating:			Evidence: (additional sources as needed)
1A - Demonstrating kr	nowledge and skill in the	Ι	D	A	Е	
specialist therapy area	a holding the relevant					
certificate or license						
	s for the therapy program	Ι	D	Α	E	
	ting and the students served					
	owledge of District state and	Ι	D	Α	E	
federal regulations an						
	nowledge of resources both	Ι	D	Α	Е	
within and beyond the		Ŧ			-	
	py program integrated with	Ι	D	А	E	
	gram to meet the needs of					
individual students		T	D		Б	
	to evaluate the therapy	Ι	D	А	E	
program	ant with an danta	Ι	D	Α	Е	
2A – Establishing rapp						
<b>2B</b> - Organizing time e		I	D	A	E	
for referrals	maintaining clear procedures	Ι	D	А	E	
	idards of conduct in the	Ι	D	Α	Е	
treatment center		1	D	11	Ľ	
	ical space for testing of	Ι	D	Α	Е	
students and providin						
	ferrals and evaluating student	Ι	D	Α	Е	
needs	-					
3B - Developing and i	mplementing treatment plans	Ι	D	Α	E	
to maximize student s						
3C - Communicating v	with families	Ι	D	Α	E	
)	nation; writing reports	Ι	D	Α	E	
<b>3E</b> - Demonstrating f	lexibility and responsiveness	Ι	D	Α	E	
4A - Reflecting on pra	otice	Ι	D	Α	Е	
4B - Collaborating with	th teachers and	Ι	D	Α	E	
administrators						
4C - Maintaining an ef	fective data management	Ι	D	Α	Е	
system						
	professional community	Ι	D	Α	E	
4E - Engaging in profe	ssional development	Ι	D	Α	E	
4F - Showing professi	onalism including integrity	Ι	D	Α	E	
advocacy and maintai	ning confidentiality					
Observee's Signatur	e		E	0ate		

Observer's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## **Professional Growth Plan**

**Directions:** After completing the Self- reflection tool, developing Student Growth Goal(s), and identifying your professional area(s) of growth, write your Professional Growth Goal (PGG) and the Domain and Component with which it aligns. If more than one goal is required by your district, complete additional forms.

Consider these questions when developing your PGG:

- What do I want to change about my practices that will effectively impact student learning?
- How can I develop a plan of action to address my professional learning?
- How will I know if I accomplished my objective?

Name:         Date:         School:	
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Professional Growth Goal

Component

Evaluator's Feedback

Evaluatee's Signature   Date	lluatee's Signature	Date_	
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Evaluator's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## **Student Growth Goal**

**Directions:** Completed by teacher. Using the feedback provided by your principal, type your final answers in each box and submit to your principal for final approval.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Context

Describe the context, including student population.

#### Needs Assessment (Specific)

What student-needs have been identified (baseline data)? What are the related content area essential/enduring skills, concepts and/or processes?

#### Sources of Evidence (Measureable)

What sources of evidence/measures will you use to measure student growth?

#### Intervals of Instruction/monitoring (Time oriented)

What is the course-long interval of instruction/monitoring (i.e. quarter, semester, etc.)?

#### Expected Growth (Realistic)

What is/are the target/targets for expected growth for all students? Keep in mind the growth goal should challenge students to exceed typical expectations. (For example, "During this school year all of my students will improve by one performance level ?.")

#### Expected Proficiency (Attainable)

What is the proficiency target? What percentage of students will meet or exceed that target? (For example, XX% of my students will meet or exceed level 3 of the rubric?"

#### **Goal Statement**

Write your complete goal statement here.

#### Rationale

Explain the rationale for the goal.

#### Professional Learning

*PGP* should reflect the support needed to meet this goal.

#### Instructional Strategies for Goal Attainment

What, specifically, will you do instructionally, to assure your students make gains projected in your student growth goal?

Evaluatee's Signature	

Evaluator's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### Mid-Year/End-of-Year Conference Form

Teacher

School Year: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Professional Growth Plan (PGP) review:**

• How have you progressed toward meeting your Professional Growth Goal? How has it impacted teaching and learning in your classroom?

- In what areas do you still need to grow or learn more?
- What supports do you need to reach your goals?

Comments:

#### Student Growth Goal (SGG): Enduring Skill, KCAS, growth, proficiency, rigorous, & SMART

• How are students meeting or showing progress toward growth and proficiency targets? What evidence is used to show this growth?

• What patterns of learning do you see in special populations of students?

• How do the activities, materials and resources in the Student Growth Goal process align to the needs of the students now that you have additional data?

• What professional practices and decisions in your work have had the most influence on your ability to support your students to achieve growth?

Comments:

#### Mid-Year Conference Signatures indicating discussion and review:

Teacher Signature:	Date:
Administrator Signature:	Date:
End of Year Reflection Signatures indica	ting discussion and review:
Teacher Signature:	Date:
Administrator Signature:	Date:

# Livingston County Student Growth Rubric

Criteria of the Goal	Acceptable	Needs Revision	Insufficient
The student growth goal:	The student growth goal:	The student growth goal:	The student growth goal:
Focuses on a standards-based enduring skill which	Focuses on a standards-based enduring skill or	Focuses on a standards-based skill that does	Is not standards-based or based on job
students are expected to master	job responsibility	not match enduring skill criteria or job responsibility	responsibility
Identifies an area of need pertaining to current			
students' abilities	Identifies a specific area of need supported by data for current students	Identifies a specific area of need, but lacks supporting data for current students	Is not focused on a specific area of need
Includes growth and proficiency targets that			
establish and differentiate expected performance for	Includes a growth target that establishes	Includes both a growth target <b>and</b> a	Includes only a growth <b>or</b> a proficiency
ALL students	growth for ALL students; a proficiency target that establishes the mastery expectation for students	proficiency target, but fails to differentiate expected performance for one or both targets	target
Uses appropriate measures for base-line, mid-			
course, and end of year/course data collection	Uses measures for collecting baseline, mid- course, and end of year/course data that	Uses measures that fail to clearly demonstrate performance for the identified	Uses no baseline data <b>or</b> uses irrelevant data
	matches the skill being assessed	skill	
Explicitly states year-long/course-long interval of			
instruction	Specifies a year-long/course-long interval of instruction	Specifies less than a year-long/course-long interval of instruction	Fails to specify an interval of instruction
Rigor of the Goal	Acceptable	Needs Revision	Insufficient
The student growth goal:	The student growth goal:	The student growth goal:	The student growth goal:
Is congruent to KCAS grade level standards and appropriate for the grade level and content area for which it was developed	Is congruent and appropriate for grade level/content area standards	Is congruent to content, but not to grade level standards	Is not congruent or appropriate for grade level/content area standards
Identifies measures that demonstrate where students	Identifies measures that allow students to	Identifies measures that only allow students	Identifies measures that do not assess the
are in meeting or exceeding the intent of the	demonstrate their competency in performing at	to demonstrate competency of part, but not	level of competency intended in the
standard(s) being assessed	the level intended in the standards being	all aspects of the standards being assessed	standards
	assessed		
	-		
Includes growth and proficiency targets that are	assessed	Includes targets that are achievable, but fail	
Includes growth and proficiency targets that are challenging for students, but attainable with support	-		Includes targets that do not articulate
Includes growth and proficiency targets that are challenging for students, but attainable with support	assessed Includes growth and proficiency targets that	Includes targets that are achievable, but fail	
	assessed Includes growth and proficiency targets that are doable, but stretch the outer bounds of what is attainable Acceptable	Includes targets that are achievable, but fail	Includes targets that do not articulate expectations <b>AND/OR</b> targets are not achievable <i>Insufficient</i>
challenging for students, but attainable with support	assessed Includes growth and proficiency targets that are doable, but stretch the outer bounds of what is attainable	Includes targets that are achievable, but fail to stretch attainability expectations	Includes targets that do not articulate expectations <b>AND/OR</b> targets are not achievable
challenging for students, but attainable with support Comparability of Data	assessed Includes growth and proficiency targets that are doable, but stretch the outer bounds of what is attainable <u>Acceptable</u> For similar classrooms, data collected for the student growth goal:	Includes targets that are achievable, but fail to stretch attainability expectations	Includes targets that do not articulate expectations <b>AND/OR</b> targets are not achievable <i>Insufficient</i>
challenging for students, but attainable with support Comparability of Data	assessed Includes growth and proficiency targets that are doable, but stretch the outer bounds of what is attainable <u>Acceptable</u> For similar classrooms, data collected for the	Includes targets that are achievable, but fail to stretch attainability expectations	Includes targets that do not articulate expectations <b>AND/OR</b> targets are not achievable Insufficient For similar classrooms, data collected for
challenging for students, but attainable with support Comparability of Data Data collected for the student growth goal:	assessed Includes growth and proficiency targets that are doable, but stretch the outer bounds of what is attainable <u>Acceptable</u> For similar classrooms, data collected for the student growth goal:	Includes targets that are achievable, but fail to stretch attainability expectations	Includes targets that do not articulate expectations <b>AND/OR</b> targets are not achievable Insufficient For similar classrooms, data collected for the student growth goal:
challenging for students, but attainable with support Comparability of Data Data collected for the student growth goal: Uses comparable criteria across similar classrooms	assessed Includes growth and proficiency targets that are doable, but stretch the outer bounds of what is attainable <i>Acceptable</i> For similar classrooms, data collected for the student growth goal: Reflects use of common measures/rubrics to	Includes targets that are achievable, but fail to stretch attainability expectations Needs Revision	Includes targets that do not articulate expectations <b>AND/OR</b> targets are not achievable Insufficient For similar classrooms, data collected for the student growth goal: Does not reflect common criteria used to

# **CERTIFIED TEACHER PRE-OBSERVATION DOCUMENT**

Teacher	
School	
Grade Level/Subject(s)	
Observer	
Date of Conference	

# Preconference (Planning Conference)

Questions for Discussion:	<b>Notes:</b> (additional sources may be attached as needed)
What is your identified student learning target(s)?	
To which part of your curriculum does this lesson relate?	
How does this learning fit in the sequence of learning for this class?	
Briefly describe the students in this class, including those with special needs.	
How will you engage the students in the learning? What will you do? What will the students do? Will the students work in groups, or individually, or as a large group? Provide any materials that the students will be using.	
How will you differentiate instruction for individuals or groups of students? What are some misconceptions students may have?	
How and when will you know whether the students have achieved the learning target(s)?	
Is there anything that you would like me to specifically observe during the lesson?	

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Observer's Signature/Date \_\_\_\_\_

# **CERTIFIED TEACHER POST-OBSERVATION DOCUMENT**

Teacher	
School	
Grade Level/Subject(s)	
Observer	

For each of the following standards, reflect on the lesson that was observed using the following guiding questions to focus your reflections: (additional sources may be attached as needed)

In general, how successful was the lesson? Did the students achieve the learning targets? How do you know, and what will you do for those students who did not?	
In addition to the student work witnessed by the observer, what other student work samples, evidence or artifacts assisted you in making your determination for question one?	
To what extent did classroom procedures, student conduct, and physical space contribute to or hinder student learning?	
Did you depart from your plan? If so, how and why?	
If you had an opportunity to teach this lesson again to the same group of students, what would you do differently, and why?	
What do you see as the next step(s) in your professional growth for addressing the needs you have identified through personal reflection? What support do you need?	

Evaluator's Formative Observation Rating: (additional sources may be attached as needed)

Domain 2: The Classroom Environment	Rating:				Domain 3: Instruction	Rating:			
A: Creating an Environment of Respect and Rapport	Ι	D	Α	Е	A: Communicating with Students	Ι	D	А	Е
B: Establishing a Culture for Learning	Ι	D	А	Е	B: Using Questioning and Discussion Techniques	Ι	D	А	Е
C: Managing Classroom Procedures	Ι	D	А	Е	C: Engaging Students in Learning	Ι	D	А	Е
D: Managing Student Behavior	Ι	D	Α	Е	D: Using Assessment in Instruction	Ι	D	A	Е
E: Organizing Physical Space	Ι	D	A	Е	E: Demonstrating Flexibility	Ι	D	A	Е

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#### SAMPLE Post-Conference Discussion Questions

#### Planning and Preparation (Domain 1)

1. How did you plan for this lesson? How did you plan for student cognitive engagement?

2. How did the lesson fit in the overall unit of study/instructional sequence? Are you on track with our Pacing Guide? How did you determine your targets?

3. How did you plan for the learning needs of your students in this class?

4. As you planned this lesson, what were some of the predictions you made about student misconceptions?

- 5. How did you plan the questions and discussions you used in your lesson?
- 6. How do you plan to incorporate TLIM, PBIS, literacy and program reviews, LDC/MDC if applicable, etc.

Evidence & Notes:

#### Classroom Environment (Domain 2)

- 1. How were the needs of individual students met?
- 2. What have you done to promote a culture for learning in your classroom?
- 3. What were the results on your Student Voice Survey?

Evidence & Notes:

#### Instruction and Assessment (Domain 3)

1. To what extent was your instructional delivery (activities, grouping of students, materials, resources, etc.) effective in this lesson?

- 2. How did you monitor student understanding and learning during the lesson?
- 3. How were students allowed and empowered to take responsibility for their own learning?
- 4. How did students have the opportunity to self assess their own learning and/or monitor their own progress?
- 5. If you have brought samples of student work, what does the work tell you about the level of engagement and mastery of your students?
- 6. How are you progressing on your SGG? If applicable, what was your median student growth percentile?

Evidence & Notes:

#### Professional Responsibilities (Domain 4)

- 1. How accurate are your records (IC, Weekly Lesson Plans, Paperwork, Sub folder, class postings, Program Reviews, Comm minutes, data NB, ILP Plan, agenda use, SBG, uploads to CIITS-SR, SGG, PGP, etc.)?
- 2. How do you initiate activities that contribute to the profession?
- 3. How do students contribute to record keeping, communicating data with families, goal setting, etc.?
- 4. How frequently, in what modes, & on what topics do you communicate with families? How successful are these efforts?
- 5. How do you participate in professional inquiry/learning, P. Organizations, leadership, networking with ALL stakeholders, etc.?
- 6. How do you participate in/initiate school events and district projects?
- 7. How do you comply with school and district policies/expectations (timeliness to work, attendance, dependability, attendance posting, responding to email, etc.), IP, initiatives (TLIM, PBIS, Learning360, Name & Claim, Guided Planning, Comm/PLC att), etc.?
- 8. How do you seek PL opportunities, feedback from colleagues, resources/grants to proactively serve students?
- 9. How do you assist colleagues, network, contribute/lead professional organizations, conduct action research, challenge neg, etc.?
- 10. How are you progressing on your PGP?

Evidence & Notes:

# **POST-OBSERVATION DOCUMENT (Guidance Counselor)**

Guidance Counselor	
School	
Observer	

For each of the following standards, reflect on the lesson that was observed using the following guiding questions to focus your reflections: (additional sources may be attached as needed)

In general, how successful was the lesson/session? Were goals achieved?	
In addition to the time observed, what other work samples, evidence or artifacts assisted you in making your determination for question one?	
To what extent did classroom procedures, student conduct, and physical space contribute to or hinder the lesson/session?	
Reflect on any aspect of the observation.	
What do you see as the next step(s) in your professional growth for addressing the needs you have identified through personal reflection? What support do you need?	

Evaluator's Formative Observation Rating: (additional sources may be attached as needed)

Domain 2: The Environment	Rating:				Domain 3: Delivery of Service		Rating:		
A: Creating an Environment of Respect and Rapport	Ι	D	Α	Е	A: Assessing Student Needs	Ι	D	A	Е
B: Establishing a Culture for Productive Communication	I	D	A	E	B: Assisting students and teachers in the formulation of academic personal social and career plans based on knowledge of student needs	I	D	A	Е
C: Managing Routines and Procedures	Ι	D	Α	E	C: Using counseling techniques in individual and classroom programs	Ι	D	A	Е
D: Establishing standards of conduct and contributing to the culture for student behavior throughout the school	I	D	A	Е	D: Brokering resources to meet needs	I	D	A	Е
E: Organizing Physical Space	Ι	D	Α	Е	E: Demonstrating Flexibility/ Responsiveness	Ι	D	А	Е

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# **POST-OBSERVATION DOCUMENT (Library/Media Specialist)**

Library Media Specialist	
School	
Observer	

For each of the following standards, reflect on the lesson that was observed using the following guiding questions to focus your reflections: (additional sources may be attached as needed)

In general, how successful was the lesson? Did the students achieve the learning targets? How do you know, and what will you do for those students who did not?	
In addition to the student work witnessed by the observer, what other student work samples, evidence or artifacts assisted you in making your determination for question one?	
To what extent did classroom procedures, student conduct, and physical space contribute to or hinder student learning?	
Did you depart from your plan? If so, how and why?	
If you had an opportunity to teach this lesson again to the same group of students, what would you do differently, and why?	
What do you see as the next step(s) in your professional growth for addressing the needs you have identified through personal reflection? What support do you need?	

Evaluator's Formative Observation Rating: (additional sources may be attached as needed)

Domain 2: The Library Environment	Rating:				Domain 3: Instruction/Delivery of Service	Rating:			
A: Creating an Environment of Respect and Rapport	Ι	D	Α	Е	A: Communicating Clearly and Accurately	Ι	D	A	Е
B: Establishing a Culture for Learning	Ι	D	А	Е	B: Using Questioning and Research Techniques	Ι	D	A	Е
C: Managing Library Procedures	Ι	D	А	Е	C: Engaging Students in Learning	Ι	D	A	Е
D: Managing Student Behavior	Ι	D	A	Е	D: Assessment in instruction (whole class, one-on-one and small group)	Ι	D	A	Е
E: Organizing Physical Space	Ι	D	А	Е	E: Demonstrating Flexibility/ Responsiveness	Ι	D	А	Ε

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# **POST-OBSERVATION DOCUMENT (School Psychologist)**

School Psychologist										
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Grade Level/Subject(s)										
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For each of the following standards, reflect on the event that was observed using the following guiding questions to focus your reflections: (additional sources may be attached as needed)										
In general, how successful was the										
objectives achieved? How do you the event they were not all achieved	-		•							
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In addition to the interactions and	-			-						
observer, what other student work samples, evidence or artifacts assisted you in making your determination for question one?										
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To what extent did testing center procedures, student conduct, and physical space contribute to or hinder student										
performance/results?										
Did you depart from your plan? If s	so, how	and wh	ıy?							
If you had an opportunity to repea	t this se	ssion a	gain, wł	nat wou	d					
you do differently, and why?			<b>5</b> ,							
What are next steps for proactively	/ planni	ng for t	his stud	ent?						
What do you see as the next step(s		-		-	or					
addressing the needs you have ide reflection? What support do you r		through	person	al						
Evaluator's Formative Observation		dditional	sources m	av he att	ched as needed)					
Domain 2: The Environment-	lating. (a			ay be att	Domain 3: Delivery o	of Service-				
School Psychologist		Rat	ing:		School Psychol			Rat	ting:	
A: Establishing rapport with					A: Responding to referr					
students.	Ι	D	A	Е	consulting with teacher administrators.	's and	Ι	D	Α	Е
P. Establishing a sulture for positive					B: Evaluating student ne	eeds and				
B: Establishing a culture for positive mental health throughout the	Ι	D	Α	Е	compliance with Nation		Ι	D	А	Е
school/district.					Association of School Ps NASP guidelines.	sychologists				

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C: Establishing and maintaining clear

D: Establishing standards of conduct

E: Organizing Physical Space for

testing of students and storage of

procedures for referrals.

in the testing center.

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C: Chairing evaluation team.

D: Planning interventions to

E. Maintaining contact with

health service providers. F: Demonstrating Flexibility and

responsiveness.

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physicians and community mental

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# **POST-OBSERVATION DOCUMENT (Therapeutic Specialist)**

Therapeutic Specialist	
School	
Grade Level/Subject(s)	
Observer	

For each of the following standards, reflect on the lesson that was observed using the following guiding questions to focus your reflections: (additional sources may be attached as needed)

In general, how successful was the lesson? Did the students achieve the learning targets? How do you know, and what will you do for those students who did not?	
In addition to the student work witnessed by the observer, what other student work samples, evidence or artifacts assisted you in making your determination for question one?	
To what extent did classroom procedures, student conduct, and physical space contribute to or hinder student learning?	
Did you depart from your plan? If so, how and why?	
If you had an opportunity to teach this lesson again to the same group of students, what would you do differently, and why?	
What are next steps for mastery and carryover into general settings.	
What do you see as the next step(s) in your professional growth for addressing the needs you have identified through personal reflection? What support do you need?	

Evaluator's Formative Observation Rating: (additional sources may be attached as needed)

Domain 2: The Classroom Environment		Rating:			Domain 3: Instruction Rating:				
A: Establishing rapport with students.	Ι	D	Α	Е	A: Responding to referrals and evaluating student needs.	Ι	D	A	Е
B: Organizing time effectively.	Ι	D	Α	Е	B: Organizing time effectively.	Ι	D	Α	Е
C: Establishing and maintaining clear procedures for referrals.	Ι	D	А	Е	C: Communicating with families.	Ι	D	A	Е
D: Establishing standards of conduct in the treatment center.	Ι	D	Α	Ε	D: Collecting information; writing reports	Ι	D	A	Е
E: Organizing Physical Space for testing of students and providing therapy.	Ι	D	А	Е	E: Demonstrating Flexibility and responsiveness.	Ι	D	А	Е

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## **Educator Overall Performance/Summative Evaluation**

Directions: Completed by Principal/Designee. Overall Performance Category is based on Professional Practice.

Educator: \_\_\_\_\_ School Year:\_\_\_\_\_

#### **Professional Practice Rating**

#### **Domain 1: Planning and Preparation**

Rating:	Ι	D	Α	Ε
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#### **Domain 2: Classroom Environment**

Rating: I D A Е

#### **Domain 3: Instruction**

Rating: I D A E

#### **Domain 4: Professional Responsibilities**

Rating: I D A Е

Minimum Criteria for Determining an Educator's Professional Practice Rating		
If	Then	
Domains 2 & 3 are rated INEFFECTIVE	Professional Practice Rating shall be <b>INEFFECTIVE</b>	
Domains 2 or 3 are rated INEFFECTIVE	Professional Practice Rating shall be DEVELOPING	
	OR INEFFECTIVE	
Domains 1 or 4 are rated INEFFECTIVE	Professional Practice Rating shall NOT be	
	EXEMPLARY	
Two Domains are rated DEVELOPING and	Professional Practice Rating shall be <b>DEVELOPING</b> or	
two Domains are rated ACCOMPLISHED	ACCOMPLISHED	
Domains 1 & 4 are rated DEVELOPING and	Professional practice Rating shall be	
Domains 2 & 3 are rated EXEMPLARY	ACCOMPLISHED or EXEMPLARY	
Two Domains are rated ACCOMPLISHED	Professional Practice Rating shall be	
and two Domains are rated EXEMPLARY	ACCOMPLISHED or EXEMPLARY	

#### Overall Performance Category Rating: I D Ε Α

Evaluator's Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_ \*Educator's Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_

Date Date \*"This is to certify that I have met with my evaluator to discuss my job performance as outlined above and have received a copy of this form. I understand that my signature does not indicate agreement." (Signature denotes receipt of the summative evaluation, not necessarily

agreement with the contents of the form.)

# Principal's Reflective Practice, Student Growth and Professional Growth Planning Template

Principal	
School	
Level	

# Part A: Student Growth

<b>Student Growth Goal</b> (Your identified Objective from your CSIP.)		
<b>Principal's Student Growth Plan</b> This plan will outline what the <b>principal</b> will do to impact th	ne student arowth aoal.	
Strategies/Actions What strategies/actions will I need to do in order to assist my school in reaching the goal? How will I accomplish my goal?	Resources/Support What resources will I need to complete my plan? What support will I need?	Targeted Completion Date When will I complete each identified strategy/ action?

# Part B: Reflection on the Standards in the Kentucky Principal Professional Growth and Effectiveness System

Reflect on the effectiveness and adequacy of your practice in each of the performance standards. Provide a rating (I = Ineffective; D = Developing; A = Accomplished; E=Exemplary) on each performance standard and list your strengths and areas for growth. A complete listing of performance standards and indicators can be found at the end of this form.

Standard	Sel	f-Ass	essm	ent	Strengths and areas for growth
<b>1. Instructional Leadership</b> The principal fosters the success of all students by facilitating the development, communication, implementation, and evaluation of a shared vision of teaching and learning that leads to student academic growth and school improvement.	I	D	А	E	
<b>2. School Climate</b> The principal fosters the success of all students by developing, advocating, and sustaining an academically rigorous, positive, and safe school climate for all stakeholders.	I	D	А	E	
<b>3. Human Resource Management</b> The principal fosters effective human resources management by assisting with selection and induction, and by supporting, evaluating, and retaining quality instructional and support personnel.	I	D	А	E	
<b>4. Organizational Management</b> The principal fosters the success of all students by supporting, managing, and overseeing the school's organization, operation, and use of resources.	I	D	A	E	
<b>5. Communication and Community Relationship</b> The principal fosters the success of all students by communicating and collaborating effectively with stakeholders.	I	D	A	E	
<b>6. Professionalism</b> The principal fosters the success of all students by demonstrating professional standards and ethics, engaging in continuous professional learning, and contributing to the profession.	I	D	A	E	
<b>7. Student Progress</b> The principal's leadership results in acceptable, measurable student academic growth based on established standards.	I	D	A	E	

## Part C: Connecting Priority Growth Needs to Professional Growth Planning

**1)** <u>Initial Reflection</u>: Based on the areas of growth identified in Part B, complete this section prior to the

# beginning of the school year.

#### **Professional Growth Goal:**

- What do I want to change about my practices that will effectively impact student learning?
- How can I develop a plan of action to address my professional learning?
- How will I know if I accomplished my objective?

	Action Plan				
Professional Learning What do I want to change about my leadership or role that will effectively impact student learning? What is my personal learning necessary to make that change?	Strategies/Actions What will I need to do in order to learn my identified skill or content? How will I apply what I have learned? How will I accomplish my goal?	<b>Resources/Support</b> What resources will I need to complete my plan? What support will I need?	Targeted Completion Date When will I complete each identified strategy/ action?		

Administrator's Signature:	Date:
Superintendent's Signature:	Date:

2) <u>On-going Reflection</u>: Complete this section at mid-year to identify progress toward each Student Growth/Professional Growth Goal

VI. Mid-Year Student Growth Review*		
(Describe goal progress and other relevant data.)		
	Mid-year review conducted on	Initials Principal's Superintendent

Date	Status of Professional Growth Goal	Revisions/Modifications	
Administrator's	Signature:	Date:	
Superintendent's Signature:		Date:	

**3)** Summative Reflection: Complete this section at the end of the year to describe the level of attainment for each Professional Growth Goal

Date:	End of Year Student Growth Reflection:
VII. End-of-Year Data Results	
(Accomplishments at the end of year.)	
	Data attached
Date:	End of Year Professional Growth Reflection:

Next Steps:		

Administrator's Signature:	Date:
Superintendent's Signature:	Date:

# PRINCIPAL/ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL SUMMATIVE EVALUATION

Principal/Assistant Principal						
Observer						
Date of Conference						
native Observation Rating for each Principal Pe	rformand	ce Stando	ırd:			
Standard 1: Instructional Leadership		Rating:	Ι	D	А	E
Comments:						
Standard 2: School Culture		Rating:	Ι	D	А	E
Comments:						
Standard 3: Human Resources Management		Rating:	Ι	D	А	E
Comments:						
Standard 4: Organizational Management Comments:		Rating:	Ι	D	А	E
Standard 5: Communication/Community Rel Comments:	lations	Rating:	Ι	D	A	E
Standard 6: Professionalism		Rating:	Ι	D	А	E
Comments: Standard 7: Student Growth		Rating:	Ι	D	A	E
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OVERALL PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE	RATING	ŕ	Ι	D	Α	E
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# Site Visit Form

This form may be used by the evaluator in conducting the Principal Site Visit and Interview.

#### Performance Standard 1. Instructional Leadership

The principal fosters the success of all students by facilitating the development, communication, implementation, and evaluation of a shared vision of teaching and learning that leads to student academic growth and school improvement.

#### Sample Performance Indicators : Examples may include, but are not limited to:

The principal:

- 1.1 Leads the collaborative development and sustainment of a shared vision for educational improvement and works with staff, students, parents, school councils and other stakeholders to develop a mission and programs consistent with the school and district improvement plan.
- 1.2 Collaboratively plans, implements, supports, monitors, and evaluates instructional programs that enhance teaching and student academic progress, and lead to continuous school improvement.
- 1.3 Analyzes current academic achievement data and instructional strategies to make appropriate educational decisions to improve classroom instruction, increase student achievement, and improve overall school effectiveness.
- 1.4 Demonstrates knowledge of research-based instructional best practices
- 1.5 Works collaboratively with staff to identify student needs and to design, revise, and monitor instruction to ensure effective delivery of the required curriculum.
- 1.6 Supports teachers to access resources (e.g., time, fiscal, human) for the successful implementation of effective instructional strategies.
- 1.7 Monitors and evaluates the use of assessment of and for learning (e.g., diagnostic, formative, summative assessments) to inform instructional practices and to provide timely and accurate feedback to students and parents.\*
- 1.8 Works with school council to design and implement effective and efficient schedules that protect and maximize instructional time.
- 1.9 Provides the instructional focus and creates the culture for continuous learning of all members of the school community.
- 1.10 Supports professional learning and instructional practices that incorporate the use of multiple sources of data and result in increased student growth.
- 1.11 Participates, as appropriate, in professional learning alongside teachers when instructional strategies are being taught for future implementation.
- 1.12 Demonstrates the importance of professional growth by providing adequate time and resources for teachers and staff to participate in professional learning (i.e., peer observation, mentoring, coaching, study groups, learning teams).
- 1.13 Evaluates the impact professional learning has on the staff/school improvement and student academic progress.

#### Suggested Guiding Questions/Prompts:

- Please describe any innovative and effective leadership strategies that you have used this year.
- What opportunities have you created this year for collaboration among teachers?
- How have you strived this year to improve the teachers' effective instructional practices associated with different subject areas?
- How do you make sure curriculum standards are taught by the teachers and mastered by the students?
- How do you monitor teachers' performance and provide constructive feedback to them?
- What types of teacher learning and development activities or programs have you participated in this year? What have you learned?
- How do you involve the expertise of teacher leaders?

#### Evidence requested by the evaluator or provided by the principal: Indicate contributor with an (E) or (P).

#### **Performance Standard 2: School Climate**

# The principal fosters the success of all students by developing, advocating, and sustaining an academically rigorous, positive, and safe school climate for all stakeholders.

#### Sample Performance Indicators: Examples may include, but are not limited to:

#### The principal:

- 2.1 Incorporates knowledge of the social, cultural, leadership, and political dynamics of the school community to cultivate a positive academic learning environment.
- 2.2 Consistently models and collaboratively promotes high expectations, mutual respect, concern, and empathy for students, staff, parents, and community.
- 2.3 Uses shared decision-making and collaboration to build relationships with all stakeholders and maintain positive school morale.
- 2.4 Promotes a culture of collaboration, trust and shared leadership.
- 2.5 Supports the staff through continuous improvement efforts.
- 2.6 Addresses barriers to teacher and staff performance and provides positive working conditions to encourage retention of highly effective personnel.
- 2.7 In collaboration with the school council, as appropriate, ensures a school safety plan is developed and implemented in alignment with district policy.
- 2.8 Involves students, staff, parents, and the community to create and sustain a positive, safe, and healthy learning environment which reflects state, district, and local school policies, and procedures.
- 2.9 In collaboration with the school council, leads the development and/or implements best practices in school-wide behavior management that are effective within the school community and communicates behavior management expectations to students, teachers, and parents.
- 2.10 Is visible, approachable, and dedicates time to listen to the concerns of students, teachers, and other stakeholders.
- 2.11 Maintains a positive, inviting school environment that celebrates, promotes and assists in the development of the whole child/student, and values every child/student as an important member of the school community.

#### Suggested Guiding Questions/Prompts:

- Please give some examples of where you have sought out new opportunities or improved existing programs to create an environment where students and stakeholders thrive.
- Please give some examples of the strategies you used to create and sustain a positive and safe learning environment in your school.
- What are the strategies you use to nurture and sustain a climate of trust in your school?
- Please provide a few examples of how you model care for children or model other desired characteristics for teachers and staff.
- What are the internal and external factors that you perceive are affecting your school?
- How have you strived this year to make the school environment more academically rigorous?

#### Evidence requested by the evaluator or provided by the principal: Indicate contributor with an (E) or (P).

#### Performance Standard 3: Human Resources Management

# The principal fosters effective human resources management by assisting with selection and induction, and by supporting, evaluating, and retaining quality instructional and support personnel.

#### Sample Performance Indicators: Examples may include, but are not limited to:

#### The principal:

- 3.1 Actively participates in an effective and efficient selection process in consultation with the school council.
- 3.2 Assigns highly-effective staff in a fair and equitable manner based on student and school needs, assessment data, and local and state requirements.
- 3.3 Supports formal building-level employee induction processes and informal procedures to support and assist all new personnel.
- 3.4 Provides a mentoring process for all new and targeted instructional personnel.
- 3.5 Manages the supervision and evaluation of staff in accordance with local and state requirements.
- 3.6 Properly implements the teacher and staff effectiveness systems, supports the important role evaluation plays in teacher and staff learning, and evaluates performance of personnel using multiple data sources.
- 3.7 Documents evidence of teacher effectiveness, provides timely, on-going formal and informal feedback on strengths and areas of growth, and provides support, access to resources, and professional learning opportunities for teachers and staff to improve job effectiveness.
- 3.8 Makes appropriate recommendations relative to personnel transfer, retention, promotion, and dismissal consistent with established policies and procedures and with student academic growth as a significant consideration.
- 3.9 Recognizes and supports highly effective teachers and staff and cultivates their leadership potential.
- 3.10 Maximizes human resources by building on the strengths of teachers and staff members through the collaborative development and implementation of the professional growth plan that aligns with the school and/or district plan.

#### **Suggested Guiding Questions/Prompts:**

- Please give examples of ways you have helped your teachers and staff to become more effective this year.
- Please give examples of professional learning implemented and/or continued this school year to improve teacher performance.
- In what ways do you support the achievements of high-performing teachers?
- How do you ensure new teachers and staff receive the support they need during their first year?
- How do you foster an atmosphere of professional learning among staff?
- What are the most difficult human resources management decisions you have made this year? What aspects went well and what aspects were challenging?

#### Evidence requested by the evaluator or provided by the principal: Indicate contributor with an (E) or (P).

#### Performance Standard 4: Organizational Management The principal fosters the success of all students by supporting, managing, and overseeing the school's organization, operation, and use of resources.

#### Sample Performance Indicators: Examples may include, but are not limited to:

#### The principal:

- 4.1 Demonstrates and communicates a working knowledge and understanding of Kentucky school laws and regulations, and school/district policies and procedures.
- 4.2 Establishes, in collaboration with the school council, and enforces policies and procedures to ensure a safe, secure, efficient, and orderly facility and grounds.
- 4.3 Monitors and provides efficient supervision for all physical plant and related activities through an appropriate process.
- 4.4 Identifies potential organizational, operational, or resource-related problems and addresses them in a timely, consistent, and effective manner.
- 4.5 Reviews fiscal records regularly to ensure accountability for all funds.
- 4.6 In collaboration with the school council, plans and prepares a fiscally responsible budget to support the school's mission and both long- and short-term goals through effective resource allocation.
- 4.7 Follows state and local policies with regard to finances, school accountability, and reporting.
- 4.8 Implements strategies for the inclusion of staff and stakeholders in various planning processes, shares in management decisions, and delegates duties as applicable, resulting in an effective and efficient workplace.

#### **Suggested Guiding Questions/Prompts:**

- Please explain the ways in which you have demonstrated proactive decision-making this year.
- Please provide an example of how you have been able to maximize your available resources.
- How do you establish routines and procedures for the smooth running of the school that staff members understand and follow?
- What information is used to inform the decisions related to organizational management?
- Instructional time is one of the most essential resources for student success in learning. What are you doing to protect instructional time?
- What are the strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and challenges you have perceived in your school's organizational management?

#### Evidence requested by the evaluator or provided by the principal: Indicate contributor with an (E) or (P).

#### Performance Standard 5: Communication and Community Relations

# The principal fosters the success of all students by communicating and collaborating effectively with stakeholders.

#### Sample Performance Indicators: Examples may include, but are not limited to:

The principal:

- 5.1 Plans for and solicits staff, parent, and stakeholder input to promote effective decision-making and communication when appropriate.
- 5.2 Communicates the mission and shared vision, long-and short-term goals, and the school improvement plan to all stakeholders.
- 5.3 Disseminates information to staff, parents, and other stakeholders in a timely manner through multiple channels and sources.
- 5.4 Involves students, parents, staff and other stakeholders in a collaborative effort to establish positive relationships.
- 5.5 Maintains visibility and accessibility to students, parents, staff, and other stakeholders.
- 5.6 Speaks and writes in an explicit and professional manner to students, parents, staff, and other stakeholders.
- 5.7 Provides a variety of opportunities for parent and family involvement in school activities.
- 5.8 Collaborates and networks with colleagues and stakeholders to effectively utilize the resources and expertise available in the local community.
- 5.9 Advocates for students and acts to influence local, district, and state decisions affecting student learning.
- 5.10 Assesses, plans for, responds to, and interacts with the larger political, social, economic, legal, and cultural context that affects schooling based on relevant evidence.

#### Suggested Guiding Questions/Prompts:

- Please describe how you promote the success of all students through communication.
- How do you engage in open dialogue with multiple stakeholders from the larger school community?
- How do you involve parents and families in student learning?
- How do you disseminate needed information (such as student academic progress) to students, staff, parents, and the greater learning community?
- Please give an example of how you network with individuals and groups outside the school (e.g., business and government organizations) to build partnerships for pursuing shared goals.

#### Evidence requested by the evaluator or provided by the principal: Indicate contributor with an (E) or (P).

#### **Performance Standard 6: Professionalism**

# The principal fosters the success of all students by demonstrating professional standards and ethics, engaging in continuous professional learning, and contributing to the profession.

#### Sample Performance Indicators: Examples may include, but are not limited to:

#### The principal:

- 6.1 Creates a culture of respect, understanding, sensitivity, and appreciation for students, staff, and other stakeholders, and models these attributes on a daily basis.
- 6.2 Works within professional and ethical guidelines to improve student learning and to meet school, district, and state requirements.
- 6.3 Maintains a professional appearance and demeanor.
- 6.4 Models professional behavior and cultural competency to students, staff, and other stakeholders.
- 6.5 Maintains confidentiality.
- 6.6 Maintains a positive, optimistic, and straight-forward attitude.
- 6.7 Provides leadership in the exchange of ideas and information with staff and other professionals.
- 6.8 Works in a collegial and collaborative manner with other administrators, school personnel, and other stakeholders to communicate, promote, and support the shared vision, mission, and goals of the school district.
- 6.9 Assumes responsibility for personal professional growth through accurate self-reflection on professional practice, and engages in continuous learning.
- 6.10 Contributes and supports the development of the profession through service as an instructor, mentor, coach, presenter, and/or researcher.
- 6.11 Remains current with research related to educational issues, trends, and practices and maintains a high level of technical and professional knowledge.

#### Suggested Guiding Questions/Prompts:

- Please give an example of a way in which you have demonstrated your professionalism in activities outside the school district.
- How do you communicate professional beliefs and values to all stakeholders?
- Give an example of a skill that you learned during professional interactions with colleagues that you have used successfully in your school.
- What professional learning have you sought out this year?
- In what ways have you observed a change in your role as a school leader and your leadership style?
- In what ways do you take an active role in professional organizations?

Evidence requested by the evaluator or provided by the principal: Indicate contributor with an (E) or (P).

#### **Performance Standard 7: Student Growth**

#### The principal's leadership results in acceptable, measurable student academic growth based on established standards.

#### Sample Performance Indicators: Examples may include, but are not limited to:

#### The principal:

- 7.1 Uses appropriate techniques for gathering and analyzing data from multiple sources to use in making decisions related to student academic growth and school improvement.
- 7.2 Collaboratively develops, implements, and monitors the school improvement plan that addresses student gaps, growth, and achievement.
- 7.3 In collaboration with their evaluator, sets student growth goals and benchmarks, and implements appropriate strategies to accomplish desired outcomes.
- 7.4 Ensures teachers' student achievement goals are aligned with school/district-level goals for increased student academic progress and for meeting state benchmarks.
- 7.5 Collaborates with teachers and staff to monitor and improve multiple measures of student growth through the analysis of data, the application of educational research, and the implementation of appropriate intervention and enrichment strategies.
- 7.6 Demonstrates responsibility for school academic achievement through proactive interactions with faculty/staff, students, and other stakeholders.
- 7.7 Uses faculty meetings, team/department meetings, and professional learning activities to focus on student growth outcomes.
- 7.8 Provides evidence that students are meeting specific, measurable, realistic, and appropriate achievement goals.
- 7.9 Communicates assessment results to all appropriate stakeholders.

#### **Suggested Guiding Questions/Prompts:**

- Please give an example of how your leadership has resulted in a high level of student academic growth with all populations of learners.
- What is the goal setting process in your school for student academic achievement?
- Please give some examples of the goals your school has set this year that are directly associated with student achievement.
- Please explain how interventions are designed and implemented to support student learning.
- What type of midcourse corrective actions do you take to accomplish desired student academic outcomes?
- How do you empower teachers to be truly engaged in improving student success?

Evidence requested by the evaluator or provided by the principal: Indicate contributor with an (E) or (P).

# Certified District Reflective Practice, Student Growth and Professional Growth Planning Template

District Certified Staff	
Name	
Position	

#### Part A: Student Growth

Student Growth Goal		
District Certified Staff's Student Grow		
This plan will outline what the district certified staff will do Strategies/Actions What strategies/actions will I need to do in order to assist my district in reaching the goal? How will I accomplish my goal?	Resources/Support What resources will I need to complete my plan? What support will I need?	Targeted Completion Date When will I complete each identified strategy/ action?

## LIVINGSTON COUNTY SCHOOLS PROFESSIONAL GROWTH PLAN (For staff not included in PGES)

School Year	Enrichment Corrective
Evaluatee Date 1. PERFORMANCE AREA STANDARD(S)	Work Site
2. PERFORMANCE CRITERIA	
3. GROWTH OBJECTIVES (Describe desired outcome)	
4. PRESENT STATE OF DEVELOPMENT	Awareness Preparation Implementation Refinement
5. PROCEDURES and ACTIVITIES FOR ACHIEVING OBJ	ECTIVE(S)
6. APPRAISAL METHOD AND TARGET DATES	
7. EVALUATEE'S COMMENTS	8. EVALUATOR'S COMMENTS
This plan is aligned with the school improvement/transformation and p the school/district.	professional development plans of
Individual Growth Plan Developed	Achieved/Revised/Continued
Evaluatee Signature Date	Evaluatee Signature Date
Evaluator Signature Date	Evaluator Signature Date
Please print one copy for Teacher reco	rd and one copy for Principal record.

### LIVINGSTON COUNTY SCHOOLS PERSONNEL CONFERENCE

Employee

Date

School

Concern(s):

Disposition:

Administrator / Supervisor Comments:

Employee Comments:

 Employee

 Signature

 Date

 Administrator / Supervisor Signature

 Date

#### Part B: Reflection on the Standards (Crosswalk-Superintendent/Principal Standards)

Reflect on the effectiveness and adequacy of your practice in each of the performance standards. Provide a rating (I = Ineffective; D = Developing; A = Accomplished; E=Exemplary) on each performance standard and list your strengths and areas for growth.

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	Self-Reflection/Observation Ir	istru	ime	ent																																						
Superintendent Standards	Principal Performance Standards	Self-	Self-		Self-		Self-	Self-		Strengths/Areas for Growth																																
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1. Strategic Leadership	Performance Standard 6:	I	D	1	E																																					
The Superintendent creates conditions	Professionalism	1		11	L																																					
that result in strategically reimaging	The principal fosters the success of																																									
the district's vision, mission and goals	all students by demonstrating																																									
to ensure that every student graduates	professional standards and ethics,																																									
from high school, is globally	engaging in continuous professional																																									
competitive in post-secondary	learning, and contributing to the																																									
education and the workforce, and is	profession.																																									
prepared for life in the 21st century.	6.7 Provides leadership in the																																									
Create a community of inquiry that	exchange of ideas and information																																									
challenges the community to	with staff and other professionals.																																									
continually repurpose itself by building																																										
on the district's core values and beliefs																																										
about the preferred future and then	administrators, school personnel,																																									
developing a vision.	and other stakeholders to																																									
A. Creates a working relationship with																																										
the local board of education, clearly	the shared vision, mission, and goals																																									
defining roles and mutual expectations																																										
that results in a shared vision for the	6.9 Assumes responsibility for																																									
district which assists the schools in	personal professional growth																																									
preparing students to enter the	through accurate self-reflection on																																									
changing world of the 21st century	professional practice, and engages in																																									
(Vision-Relationships)	continuous learning.																																									
B. Models and reinforces the culture	6.10 Contributes and supports the																																									
and vision of the district by having	development of the profession																																									
open discussion sessions with teachers																																										
school executives, staff, board	mentor, coach, presenter, and/or																																									
members, and other stakeholders	researcher.																																									
regarding the strategic direction of the	6.11 Remains current with research																																									
district and encouraging their feedbac	k related to educational issues, trends,																																									
on how to better attain the district's	and practices and maintains a high																																									
vision, mission and goals (Vision-	level of technical and professional																																									
Monitor)	knowledge.																																									
C. Creates processes to ensure the																																										
district's identity (vision, mission,		1	1																																							
values, beliefs and goals) actually																																										
drives decisions and reflects the																																										
culture of the district (Strategic																																										
Planning-Implementation)																																										
D. Facilitates the collaborative																																										
development and implementation of a																																										
district strategic plan or district																																										
improvement plan, aligned to the		1	1																																							
mission and goals set by the Kentucky																																										
Board of Education and local		1	1																																							

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priorities, using multiple sources of						
data (Strategic Planning						
(Monitoring/Evaluation)						
strategically to progress data.						
(Strategic Planning -Goals)						
2. Instructional Leadership	Performance Standard 1:	Ι	D	Α	Е	
The superintendent supports and builds	Instructional Leadership					
a system committed to shared values	The principal fosters the success of					
and beliefs focused on teaching and	all students by facilitating the					
learning where performance gaps are	development, communication,					
systematically eliminated over time	implementation, and evaluation of a					
and every student graduates from high	shared vision of teaching and					
school college- and career-ready.	learning that leads to student					
A. Leads the District's philosophy of	academic growth and school					
education-setting specific achievement	improvement.					
targets for schools and students of all	1.1 Leads the collaborative					
ability levels and monitors progress	development and sustainment of a					
toward those targets	shared vision for educational					
(Learning/Teaching Focus: High	improvement and works with staff,					
Expectations)	students, parents, school councils					
B. Models and applies learning for	and other stakeholders to develop a					
staff and students (Professional	mission and programs consistent					
Learning)	with the school and district					
C. Communicates high expectations for	improvement plan.					
student achievement by establishing	1.2 Collaboratively plans,					
and sustaining a system that operates	implements, supports, monitors, and					
as a collaborative learning	evaluates instructional programs that					
organization through structures that	enhance teaching and student					
support improved instruction and	academic progress, and lead to					
student learning on all levels	continuous school improvement.					
(High Expectations)	1.3 Analyzes current academic achievement data and instructional					
D. Facilitates the establishment of						
high, academic goals for all, ensures	strategies to make appropriate educational decisions to improve					
effective monitoring protocols, and	classroom instruction, increase					
models the expectation that instructional leaders respond	student achievement, and improve					
frequently and strategically to progress	overall school effectiveness.					
data.	1.4 Demonstrates knowledge of					
Strategic Planning (Goals)	research-based instructional best					
<i>E. Demonstrates awareness of all</i>	practices					
aspects of instructional programs	1.5 Works collaboratively with staff					
(Learning/High Expectations)	to identify student needs and to					
<i>F. Is a driving force behind major</i>	design, revise, and monitor					
initiatives that help students acquire	instruction to ensure effective					
21st century skills including the	delivery of the required curriculum.					
application of instructional technology	1.6 Supports teachers to access					
(Strategic Planning-Implementation)	resources (e.g., time, fiscal, human)					
	for the successful implementation of					
	effective instructional strategies.					
	1.7 Monitors and evaluates the use of					
	assessment of and for learning (e.g.,					
	diagnostic, formative, summative					
	assessments) to inform instructional					
	practices and to provide timely and					
	accurate feedback to students and					
	parents.*					

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	1.8 Works with school council to					
	design and implement effective and	1				
	efficient schedules that protect and					
	maximize instructional time.					
3. Cultural Leadership	Performance Standard 6:	Ι	D	A	E	
The Superintendent understands and	Professionalism					
acts on the important role a system's	The principal fosters the success of					
culture has in the exemplary	all students by demonstrating					
performance of all schools.	professional standards and ethics,					
Understands the people in the district	engaging in continuous professional					
and community, how they came to	learning, and contributing to the					
their current state, and how to connect	profession.					
with their traditions in order to move	6.1 Creates a culture of respect,					
them forward to support the district's	understanding, sensitivity, and					
efforts to achieve individual and	appreciation for students, staff, and					
	other stakeholders, and models these					
collective goals. While supporting and						
valuing the history, traditions and	attributes on a daily basis.	1				
norms of the district and community,	6.7 Provides leadership in the					
the superintendent must be able to	exchange of ideas and information					
improve the district culture, if needed,	with staff and other professionals.					
to align the work of adults with the	6.8 Works in a collegial and	1				
district's goals of improving student	collaborative manner with other	1				
learning and infusing the work with	administrators, school personnel,					
passion, meaning and purpose.	and other stakeholders to					
A. Communicates strong ideals and	communicate, promote, and support					
beliefs about teaching and learning	the shared vision, mission, and goals					
with all stakeholders and operates	of the school district.					
from those beliefs	Performance Standard 2: School					
(Stakeholder/Community Involvement)	Climate					
B. Builds community understanding of	The principal fosters the success of					
what is necessary for all students to	all students by developing,					
graduate college and career ready and	advocating, and sustaining an					
to be successful in the globally	academically rigorous, positive, and					
competitive 21st century	safe school climate for all					
(Stakeholder/Community Involvement)	stakeholders.					
C. Creates a unified school system (not	2.1 Incorporates knowledge of the					
a system of individual schools) with	social, cultural, leadership, and					
shared vision and equitable practices	political dynamics of the school					
(Vision/Beliefs)	community to cultivate a positive	1				
<i>D. Builds trust and promotes a sense of</i>	academic learning environment.	1				
well-being between all stakeholders	2.2 Consistently models and					
(Stakeholder/Community Involvement)	collaboratively promotes high					
<i>E. Routinely celebrates and</i>	expectations, mutual respect,					
acknowledges district successes as well	concern, and empathy for students,	1				
as areas needing growth	staff, parents, and community.	1				
(Celebrate/Acknowledge)	sigg, parents, and community.					
4. Human Resource Leadership	Performance Standard 3: Human	I		•	Е	
The superintendent ensures the district	Resources Management	1	D	A	Е	
is a professional learning community	The principal fosters effective human					
with process and systems in place that		1				
result in recruitment, induction,	resources management by assisting	1				
	with selection and induction, and by					
support, evaluation, development and	supporting, evaluating, and retaining					
retention of a high-performing, diverse	quality instructional and support					
staff. The superintendent uses	personnel.					
distributed leadership to support	3.1 Actively participates in an					
learning and teaching, plans	effective and efficient selection		1			

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professional development, and engages	process in consultation with the					
in district leadership succession	school council.					
planning.	3.2 Assigns highly-effective staff in a					
A. Ensures that necessary resources,	fair and equitable manner based on					
including time and personnel, are	student and school needs, assessment					
allocated to achieve the district's goals	data, and local and state					
for achievement and instruction	requirements.					
(Resourcing)	3.3 Supports formal building-level					
B. Creates and monitors processes for	employee induction processes and					
educators to assume leadership and	informal procedures to support and					
decision-making roles (Staffing)	assist all new personnel.					
C. Ensures processes for hiring,	3.4 Provides a mentoring process for					
inducting and mentoring new teachers	all new and targeted instructional					
new school executives, and other staff	personnel.					
that result in the recruitment and	3.5 Manages the supervision and					
retention of highly qualified and	evaluation of staff in accordance					
diverse personnel develops	with local and state requirements.					
appropriate succession plans for key	3.6 Properly implements the teacher					
district roles, and places staff in	and staff effectiveness systems,					
1 00	supports the important role					
strategically effective positions (HR functions)						
<i>D. Uses data to create and maintain a</i>	evaluation plays in teacher and staff learning, and evaluates performance					
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positive work environment	of personnel using multiple data					
(Culture/Environment)	sources.					
E. Provides for results-oriented	3.7 Documents evidence of teacher					
professional growth and development	effectiveness, provides timely, on-					
that is aligned with identified 21st	going formal and informal feedback					
century curricular, instructional, and	on strengths and areas of growth,					
assessment needs, is connected to	and provides support, access to					
district improvement goals, and is	resources, and professional learning					
differentiated based on staff needs	opportunities for teachers and staff					
(Professional Learning)	to improve job effectiveness.					
F. Ensures that all staff is evaluated in	3.8 Makes appropriate					
a fair and equitable manner and that	recommendations relative to					
the results of evaluations are used to	personnel transfer, retention,					
improve performance; holds high	promotion, and dismissal consistent					
standards for performance and takes	with established policies and					
necessary personnel actions to ensure	procedures and with student					
effective school operations	academic growth as a significant					
(Evaluation)	consideration.					
	3.9 Recognizes and supports highly					
	effective teachers and staff and					
	cultivates their leadership potential.					
	3.10 Maximizes human resources by					
	building on the strengths of teachers					
	and staff members through the					
	collaborative development and					
	implementation of the professional					
	growth plan that aligns with the					
	school and/or district plan.					
5. Managerial Leadership	Performance Standard 4:	Ι	D	A	Е	
The superintendent ensures that the	Organizational Management	1		А	Ľ	
district has processes and systems in	The principal fosters the success of					
place for budgeting, staffing, problem	all students by supporting, managing,					
solving, communicating expectations,	and overseeing the school's					
and scheduling that organize the work	organization, operation, and use of					
and scheduling that organize the work	organization, operation, and use of					

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of the district and give priority to	resources.					
student learning and safety. The	4.1 Demonstrates and communicates					
superintendent must solicit resources	a working knowledge and					
(both operating and capital), monitor	understanding of Kentucky school					
their use, and assure the inclusion of all	laws and regulations, and					
stakeholders in decision about	school/district policies and					
resources so as to meet the 21st	procedures.					
century needs of the district.	4.2 Establishes, in collaboration with					
<i>A. Prepares and oversees a budget that</i>	the school council, and enforces					
aligns resources with district vision	policies and procedures to ensure a					
and needs						
	safe, secure, efficient, and orderly					
(Finance)	facility and grounds.					
B. Identifies and plans for facility and	4.3 Monitors and provides efficient					
technology needs (Capital Planning)	supervision for all physical plant and					
C. Continually assesses programs and	related activities through an					
resource allocation (Resourcing)	appropriate process.					
D. Develops and enforces clear	4.4 Identifies potential					
expectations for efficient operation of	organizational, operational, or					
the district including the efficient use	resource-related problems and					
of technology (Effectiveness and	addresses them in a timely,					
<i>Efficiency</i> )	consistent, and effective manner.					
<i>E. Builds consensus and resolves</i>	4.5 Reviews fiscal records regularly					
conflicts effectively (Conflict	to ensure accountability for all funds.					
Resolution)	4.6 In collaboration with the school					
<i>F. Assures an effective system of</i>	council, plans and prepares a fiscally					
districtwide communication	responsible budget to support the					
(Communication)	school's mission and both long- and					
<i>G. Continually assesses the system in</i>	short-term goals through effective					
place that ensures the safety of	resource allocation.					
students and staff	4.7 Follows state and local policies					
(Safety and security)	with regard to finances, school					
H. Works with local and state agencies	accountability, and reporting.					
to develop and implement emergency	4.8 Implements strategies for the					
plans	inclusion of staff and stakeholders in					
(Safety and security)	various planning processes, shares in					
	management decisions, and delegates					
	duties as applicable, resulting in an					
	effective and efficient workplace.					
6. Collaborative Leadership	Performance Standard 5:	Ι	D	А	Е	
The superintendent, in concert with the	Communication and Community			-	_	
local board of education, designs	Relations					
structures and processes that result in	The principal fosters the success of					
broad community engagement with	all students by communicating and					
support for and ownership of the	collaborating effectively with					
district vision. Acknowledging that	stakeholders.					
strong schools build strong	5.1 Plans for and solicits staff,					
communities, the superintendent	parent, and stakeholder input to					
proactively creates, with school and	promote effective decision-making					
district staff, opportunities for parents,	and communication when					
community members, government	appropriate.					
leaders, and business representatives to						
participate with their investments of						
resources, assistance, and						
goodwill.						
A. Develops collaborative partnerships						
with the greater community to support						

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the 21st century learning priorities of						
the school district and its schools		1				
(Vision and high expectations)		1				
B. Ensures systems that engage the		1				
local board and all community						
stakeholders in a shared responsibility						
for achieving district goals for students						
and school success						
(Stakeholder/Community Involvement)						
C. Implements proactive partnerships						
with community colleges, universities,						
professional organizations,						
educational cooperatives, and/or other						
key professional development						
organizations to provide effective						
professional learning opportunities		1				
(Professional Learning/Stakeholder						
Involvement)						
D. Implements proactive partnerships						
that remove barriers thus ensuring all						
students have access to college and						
career courses in high school						
(Stakeholder Involvement)						
7. Influential Leadership	Performance Standard 2: School	Ι	D	А	Е	
The superintendent promotes the	Climate				L)	
success of learning and teaching by	The principal fosters the success of					
understanding, responding to, and	all students by developing,					
influencing the larger political, social,	advocating, and sustaining an					
economic, legal, ethical, and cultural	academically rigorous, positive, and					
context. From this knowledge, the	safe school climate for all					
superintendent works with the board of	stakeholders.	1				
education to define mutual	2.1 Incorporates knowledge of the					
expectations, policies, and goals to	social, cultural, leadership, and					
ensure the academic success for all	political dynamics of the school	1				
students.	community to cultivate a positive					
<i>A. Understands the political systems</i>	academic learning environment.	1				
involving the district (Political	2.2 Consistently models and					
Context)	collaboratively promotes high					
B. Defines, understands, and	expectations, mutual respect,					
<i>communicates the impact on proposed</i>	concern, and empathy for students,	1				
legislation	staff, parents, and community.					
(Legal/Ethical)	2.3 Uses shared decision-making and					
<i>C. Applies laws, policies and</i>	collaboration to build relationships	1				
<i>c.</i> Applies laws, policies and procedures fairly, wisely, and	with all stakeholders and maintain					
considerately (Legal)	positive school morale.	1				
D. Utilizes legal systems to protect the	2.4 Promotes a culture of					
rights of students and staff and to	collaboration, trust and shared					
improve learning opportunities (Legal)	leadership.	1				
<i>E. Accesses local, state and national</i>	2.5 Supports the staff through					
<i>E. Accesses local, state and national</i> <i>political systems to provide input on</i>	continuous improvement efforts.					
critical educational issues (Political	commuous improvement ejjoris.					
Context; Stakeholder/ Community						
Involvement)						
Involvement)						

## Part C: Connecting Priority Growth Needs to Professional Growth Planning

**1)** <u>Initial Reflection</u>: Based on the areas of growth identified in Part B, complete this section.

#### **Professional Growth Goal:**

- What do I want to change about my practices that will • effectively impact student learning? How can I develop a plan of action to address my •
- professional learning?
- How will I know if I accomplished my objective? •

	Action Plan				
Professional Learning What do I want to change about my leadership or role that will effectively impact student learning? What is my personal learning necessary to make that change?	<b>Strategies/Actions</b> What will I need to do in order to learn my identified skill or content? How will I apply what I have learned? How will I accomplish my goal?	<b>Resources/Support</b> What resources will I need to complete my plan? What support will I need?	Targeted Completion Date When will I complete each identified strategy/ action?		

Ad	Iministrator's Signature:	Date:
Su	perintendent's Signature:	Date:

# **2)** <u>On-going Reflection</u>: Complete this section at mid-year to identify progress toward each Student Growth/Professional Growth Goal

VI. Mid-Year Student Growth Review*	
(Describe goal progress and other relevant data.)	
	Mid-year review conducted on Initials Principal's Superintendent

Date	Status of Professional Growth Goal	<b>Revisions/Modifications</b>

Administrator's Signature:	Date:
Superintendent's Signature:	Date:

**3)** Summative Reflection: Complete this section at the end of the year to describe the level of attainment for each Professional Growth Goal

Date:	End of Year Student Growth Reflection:
VII. End-of-Year Data Results	
(Accomplishments at the end of year.)	
	Data attached
Date:	End of Year Professional Growth Reflection:

Next Steps:	

Administrator's Signature:	Date:
Superintendent's Signature:	Date:

#### LIVINGSTON COUNTY SCHOOLS INDIVIDUAL CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN

Educator:	Date:	School Year:	

This Individual Corrective Action Plan is developed when an evaluatee receives a "does not meet" or "Ineffective" rating(s) on the Summative Evaluation OR anytime when immediate attention is needed.

Domain or Standard Number	Growth Objective(s) / Goals (describe desired outcomes)	Procedures & Activities for Achieving Goals/Objective(s) (including support personnel)	Appraisal Method/Target Dates
		(attach more pages if necessary)	

**Evaluatee Comments:** 

**Evaluator's Comments:** 

Corrective Action Plan		Review (achieved revised con	Review (achieved revised continued)	
Employee Signature:	Date:	Employee Signature:	Date:	
Supervisor Signature:	Date:	Supervisor Signature:	Date:	

Copy to central office, school and employee.