TGR 16-17 Teacher Growth Rubric (formerly M-STAR)

Domains, Standards and Indicators hashtags cheatsheet

Domain I: LessonDesign #LessonDesign

1. #AlignedSequenced

Lessons aligned to MCCRS and represent coherent sequence of learning

#MCCRSAligned Aligned to MCCRS or frameworks

#SequenceLearning Coherent/focused sequence of learning with meaningful connections

#AcrossDisciplines Reflect collaboration across disciplines

2. #HighLevelLearning

Lessons have high levels of learning for all students

#AppropriateScaffolding Contain appropriate scaffolding

#EvidenceProgress Contain ample evidence of student's level and progress

#Differentiation Contain differentiation based on students' abilities and learning styles

#StudentCentered Contain student-centered learning

#RelevantConnections Contain relevant connections to prior experiences/learning

#ChallengingTasks Contain opportunities for students to choose challenging tasks/materials

Domain II: Student Understanding #StudentUnderstanding

1. #ResponsibilityMonitoring

Teacher assists students in taking responsibility for learning and monitors student learning

#GoalsContent Communicates lesson goals and content accessible at student's level

#FormativeAssessment Uses formative assessment to monitor progress

#StudentSelfAssess Ample opportunities for students to self-assess and correct own errors

- #StudentFeedback Provides students clear, timely, actionable feedback
- #ApplyFeedback Opportunities for students to apply feedback
- #ConnectLearning Connect learning with personal goals

2. #MultipleWaysContent

Teacher provides multiple ways to make meaning of content

- #VarietyRepresentations A variety of explanations and multiple representations
- #ProductiveDiscussion Extended productive discussion
- #EffectiveQuestioning Effective questioning to support learning goals
- #ConnectionsDisciplines Connections to other content across disciplines
- #RealWorldApplications Student connect content to real-world application

Domain III: #LearningEnvironment Culture and Learning Environment

1. #LearningFocused

Teacher manages a learning-focused classroom community

- #RoutinesExpectations Creates routines/expectations for students to voice opinions/answer questions
- #MonitorsRedirects Proactively monitors student behavior and redirects
- #CollaborativeLearning Provides collaborative learning opportunities
- #StudentOwnership Ensures students take ownership of work and actively participate
- #StudentPeers Supports students' investment in peer success by building on peer thinking/comments

2. #ManagesResources

Teacher manages classroom space, time, resources (including technology) effectively

- #MaximizesSpace Effectively maximizes physical space and resources
- #MaximizesTime Maximizes time so students always have something to do
- #TransitionsDirections Students execute transitions, routines, procedures with minimal direction
- #ShareResponsibility Opportunities for students to share responsibility for leading routines/procedures

3. #RespectStudents

Teacher creates and maintains a classroom of respect for all students

- #CommunicatesRespectfully Communicates respectfully to all students
- #RespectfulRelationships Fosters respectful relationships among all students
- #PositiveRelationship Demonstrates strong positive relationship with all students
- #PraisePeers Fosters culture where students give unsolicited praise/encouragement to peers

Domain IV: #ProfessionalResponsibilities Professional Responsibilities

1. #ProfessionalLearning

Teacher engages in professional learning

- #SeeksOutLearning Proactively seeks out/participates in professional learning activities
- #IntegratesLearning Fully integrates knowledge from professional learning
- #StrengthensPractice Strengthens teaching practice based on observer feedback/other performance data
- #SharesInformation Shares information and lessons learned with colleagues
- #CriticalFriend Serves as critical friend providing/receiving feedback on instruction

2. #FamilyCommunication

Teacher establishes and maintains effective communication with families/guardians

- #FamilyPartners Partners with families/guardians to coordinate learning
- #MutualExpectations Establishes mutual expectations for student learning with families/guardians
- #IncludesInPlanning Includes students/families/guardian in planning