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| I noted several ways that you have used formative assessment in your lesson. The goal was clearly stated. You had students explain the goal in their own words. The students were able to use their white boards to provide answers to your prompts so you could see where each was in meeting the goal. | Great lesson! I really enjoyed it. | I loved the materials that you used. I wish I had known about this when I was teaching. |
| I am sure the students learned a lot about the topic. They were all so happy. | You finished the lesson within the allotted time. | I saw 10 boys and 3 girls were called on to answer questions. It would be appropriate to find a more random method of calling on students in order to make the opportunity equivalent. |
| I liked the materials that you used. The students were actively engaged in constructing a log cabin. How did this fit into the lesson’s objective? | I haven’t seen that activity done before. | You really lost the students about midway through the lesson didn’t you? |
| It’s clear from your review of the exit ticket data that most students did meet your objective. How will you meet those students’ needs that did not meet the objective? | I wish I had been able to see the lesson before this one. The students really seemed confused. | This was at best, developing. I hope you will do better the next time I observe you. |
| You made a lot of improvement since the last time we met. | Your teaching lacks clarity and focus. I was confused the entire time. | I enjoy coming into your classroom and watching what you do so much. I just wish I had the opportunity and time to visit you more often! |
| I saw 14 students complete the task at 2:10 with 5 minutes left in the period. Those students were talking while the others completed the task. Your classroom expectations should include activities and expectations for students when they complete a task before the allotted time is over. | I heard you say, “Timmy I have told you repeatedly not to do that” seven times. He really needs a behavior plan to address the number of times he interrupts the flow of instruction during a lesson. | It is clear from your explanation and my observations that students understood your directions. I would recommend one change: Have at least one student summarize the directions in their own words. |