Massasoit Community College Early Childhood Education Infant/Toddler Lesson Plan Rubric

Student Name: Course #: Semester:

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	Not Yet Competent	Developing Competency	Competent	Very Competent
Instruction 2	Opts.	1-6pts.	7-8pts	9-10pts.
Mass Early	The candidate does not	The candidate demonstrates an	The candidate	The candidate
Learning Guidelines	demonstrate an understanding of	understanding of content	applies an	applies a strong
for Infants and	content knowledge by providing	knowledge by providing guidelines	understanding of	understanding of
Toddlers	guidelines in different content	in different content areas but	content knowledge	content knowledge
(5a: Understand	areas in the proper format.	may not be clearly integrated and	by providing 3	by providing 3
content		may not be in the proper format.	integrated	clearly integrated
knowledge—the			guidelines in	guidelines in
central concepts,			different content	different content
methods and tools			areas in the proper	areas in the
of inquiry, and			format	proper format
structure—and				
resources for the				
academic disciplines				
in an early				
childhood				
curriculum.)				
Comments:				
Instruction 3	Opts.	1-6 pts	7-8 pts.	9-10pts.
Objectives	The candidate is unable to	The candidate demonstrates a	The candidate	The candidate
3a: Understand	demonstrate an understanding	basic understanding that	demonstrates an	applies their
that assessments	that assessments are conducted	assessments are conducted to	understanding that	understanding
(formal and	to make informed choices about	make informed choices about	assessments are	that assessments
	instruction and for	instruction and for	conducted	are conducted

informal, formative and summative) are conducted to make informed choices about instruction and for planning in early learning settings.	planning in early learning settings as objectives are not measurable or related to the Mass Early Learning Guidelines with which they are aligned.	planning in early learning settings as not all objectives are measurable or related to the Mass Early Learning Guidelines with which they are aligned.	to make informed choices about instruction and for planning in early learning settings as objectives are measurable and related to the Mass Early Learning Guidelines they are aligned with.	to make informed choices about instruction and for planning in early learning settings as objectives are not only measurable and related to the Mass Early Learning Guidelines but also with a level of clarity that makes assessment of the objective easily observable.
Comments:				
Instruction 4 Materials 4c) Use a broad repertoire of developmentally appropriate, culturally and linguistically relevant, anti-bias, evidence-based teaching skills and strategies that reflect the	Opts. The candidate does not present a list of materials that are developmentally, culturally, linguistically relevant, and/or anti-bias and does not include materials that allow students to use multiple methods to practice skills and show understanding.	The candidate does not present a complete list of necessary materials that are developmentally, culturally, linguistically relevant, and/or anti-bias and may not includes materials that allow students to use multiple methods to practice skills and show understanding.	2-3pts. The candidate presents a complete list of necessary materials that are developmentally, culturally, linguistically relevant, and/or anti-bias and includes materials that allow students to practice skills and	4-5pts. The candidate presents a comprehensive and detailed list of necessary materials that are developmentally, culturally, linguistically relevant, and/or anti-bias and includes materials

principles of universal design for learning.) Comments:			show understanding through play-based opportunities.	that allow students to use multiple methods to practice skills and show understanding.
Instruction 5 Introduction/Proce dure/Conclusion/Tr ansitions 4b: Understand and use teaching skills that are responsive to the learning trajectories of young children and to the needs of each child, recognizing that differentiating instruction, incorporating play as a core teaching practice, and supporting the development of executive function skills are critical for young children.	Opts. The candidate does not show an understanding of responsive teaching skills by providing an Introduction/Procedure/Conclusio n/section that does not meet the Mass Guidelines and Objectives of the lesson through play and differentiating instruction.	1-16pts The candidate shows a basic understanding of responsive teaching skills by providing an Introduction/Procedure/Conclusio n/section that meets some but not all of the Mass Guidelines and Objectives of the lesson through play and differentiating instruction.	17-21pts. The candidate demonstrates an understanding of responsive teaching skills by providing an Introduction/Proced ure/Conclusion/secti on that meets the Mass Guidelines and Objectives of the lesson through play and differentiating instruction.	22-25pts. The candidate applies a strong understanding of responsive teaching skills by providing a comprehensive Introduction/Procedure/Conclusion/section that clearly meets the Mass Guidelines and Objectives of the lesson through play and differentiating instruction that is detailed and individualized.
Comments:				

Instruction 6 Home-School Connection (2b: Collaborate as partners with families in young children's development and learning through respectful, reciprocal relationships and engagement.)	Opts The candidate does not demonstrate knowledge of collaborations with families by not providing a Home-School Connection that guides parents in supporting their child's development or shows respectful, reciprocal relationships	1-13pts The candidate demonstrates a basic knowledge of collaboration with families by providing a Home-School Connection that guides parents in supporting their child's development but does not show respectful, reciprocal relationships	14-17pts The candidate demonstrates an understanding of collaboration with families by providing a Home-School Connection that guides parents in supporting their child's development and shows respectful, reciprocal relationships	18-20pts The candidate applies a strong understanding of collaboration with families by providing a Home-School Connection that guides parents in supporting their child's development in multiple ways, and clearly shows respectful, reciprocal relationships
Comments:				
Instruction 7 Goals 3c. Use screening and assessment tools in ways that are ethically grounded and developmentally, ability, culturally, and linguistically appropriate in order to document developmental progress and	Opts The candidate does not show knowledge of embedding assessment-related activities into the curriculum by not providing aligned and measurable goals written in the correct format to assess students' ability to meet the curriculum goals of the lesson.	1-6pts The candidate shows a basic knowledge of embedding assessment-related activities into the curriculum by not providing aligned and measurable goals written in the correct format for all objectives of the lesson to assess students' ability to meet the curriculum goals of the lesson.	7-8pts The candidate demonstrates an understanding of embedding assessment-related activities into the curriculum by providing aligned and measurable goals written in the correct format to assess students' ability to meet all	9-10pts The candidate applies a strong understanding of embedding assessment-relate d activities into the curriculum and making assessment an integral part of professional practice by providing aligned

promote positive outcomes for each child.			curriculum goals of the lesson.	and measurable goals written in the correct format to assess students' ability to meet the curriculum goals of the lesson that uses both observations of children and adult-structured assessment
Comments:				
Instruction 8 Assessment (5c: Modify teaching practices by applying, expanding, integrating, and updating their content knowledge in the disciplines, their knowledge of curriculum content, resources, and their pedagogical content knowledge.)	Opts. The candidate does not present an assessment of children's ability to meet the lesson's goals and does not include how they would modify their teaching practices.	1pts The candidate presents a basic assessment of children's ability to meet the lesson's goals that may not include comments or does not include how they would modify their teaching practices.	2-3 pts. The candidate presents an assessment of children's ability to meet the lesson's goals and includes how they would modify their teaching practices.	4-5pts. The candidate presents a detailed assessment of children's ability to meet the lesson's goals and includes how they would modify their teaching practices including how they may expand their

				knowledge in the content area.
Comments:				
Instruction 9 Reflection (6e: Develop and sustain the habit of reflective and intentional	Opts. The candidate does not present a reflection that allows them to intentionally reflect on their work with young children.	The candidate presents a basic reflection that reflects on their practice but does not provide information on how it could be	2-3 pts. The candidate presents a reflection that includes an analysis	4-5pts. The candidate presents a detailed reflection that
practice in their daily work with young children and as members of the early childhood profession.)		intentionally improved in the future.	of their work with young children and how they can intentionally improve in the future	examines their practice and analyzes their work with young children for improvement, including an action plan
Comments:				
Instruction 10 Professionalism (Use professional communication skills, including technology-mediate d strategies, to effectively support young children's learning and development and to work with families	Opts. The candidate presents a lesson plan that does not include all required information, is not computer-generated, and contains many spelling, grammar, or typographic errors that impact the reader's ability to understand the plan.	1-6pts The candidate presents a lesson plan that includes all required information that is computer-generated but contains spelling, grammar, or typographic errors.	7-8pts The candidate presents a lesson plan that includes all required information that is computer-generated and contains minimal spelling, grammar, or typographic errors that do not impact the reader's ability	9-10pts The candidate presents a quality lesson plan that includes all required information is computer-generat ed, and contains no spelling, grammar, or typographic errors

and colleagues. 6c)			to understand the lesson plan.	
Comments:				
Final Grade:	59 and below	60-69	70-89	90-100

0-59 points-Not Yet Competent

60-69 points-Developing Competency

70-89 points-Competent

90-100 points-Very Competent