

## **CHECKLIST: LESSON BODY**

What content will be learned and practiced?

The Lesson Body should contain:	
Lecture (no longer than the age of the students in minutes).	
Investigation	
Descriptive feedback	
Modeling	
Guided and independent practice (I do, we do, you do)	
Allowing for mistakes accompanied by feedback	
Opportunities for students to use the feedback they receive from the teacher and/or their peers.	

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Questions to guide planning for the Lesson Body:	
<ul> <li>Have I restated or revisited the lesson objectives to help students stay focused on what they are to know, understand, and be able to do?</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Is all the information I am sharing with students tightly aligned with the Colorado Academic Standards in my content area?</li> </ul>	
How well have I planned for modeling what I want students to learn and practice?	
<ul> <li>Have I allowed adequate time for students to participate in guided practice – accompanied by descriptive feedback?</li> </ul>	





<ul> <li>Do I have structures in place to release individual students to participate in independent practice when they are ready and not release all of the students at once? Do I "remodel" information and/or processes, when necessary?</li> </ul>	
Are students receiving feedback from the teacher AND from their peers?	
How often does each student receive descriptive feedback?	
Am I providing time for students to use the feedback they receive?	
<ul> <li>How will I give students at least two opportunities to respond during the Body of the Lesson?</li> </ul>	
How might I insert a formative assessment to check for understanding?	

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