Classroom Observation Report

Instructor evaluated _______________________________________________________

Observer(s) ____________________________________________________________________________

Number of students present __________ Course ___________________________

Date __________

Instructions. Prior to the classroom visit, the instructor should provide the observer(s) with a copy of the course syllabus containing course objectives, content, and organization.

Procedure. The observer(s) should meet with the instructor in advance of the visit to learn the instructor’s classroom objectives as well as the teaching methods to be used. After the visit, the observer(s) should meet with the instructor to discuss observations and conclusions.

1. Describe the instructor’s facilitation of content knowledge as appropriate for this particular lesson.

2. Describe the method(s) of instruction.

3. How clear and well organized is the instruction?

4. Describe the form and extent of student participation at its alignment with content and pedagogical goals/purposes.

5. What specific comments would you make to assist the instructor’s growth as a teacher?