Practicum Student Evaluation Form

Practicum Student's Name:	McKenna Walsh
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Practicum Student's Email Address:	mwalsh1@umary.edu
Teaching Major:	Elementary Education
Practicum:	EDU 300 - Elementary Practicum
Name of practicum teacher:	Jennifer Roth
Cooperating School:	Northridge
Name of person completing this evaluation:	Loni Miller
Evaluator's Position:	Practicum Supervisor
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Overall Rating:	Proficient
Suggestions for Improvement:	Great work waiting for all to be ready to learn! Although this can be awkward, keep it up. Students are seeing that you are in charge. You may want to try I say, You say when going through the vocabulary words (your lesson plan states to make sure all know how to pronounce). The lesson included movement with vocabulary words. Your classroom management style is firm, yet kind. Continue to learn through Mrs. Roth on how to manage an active class. You had to bring them back to you multiple times during the lesson, which you did with ease!
Overall Rating:	Proficient
Suggestions for Improvement:	As I walked in you were leading a small group in reading. You were efficient and were able to keep the remaining students on track. In the small group there were 4 students and you were able to meet the needs of each student by breaking down the skills as needed. The lesson I observed was on previously learned vocabulary words. You had a visual, and had the students do an action to remember the word. This is a great way to review the knowledge in a different way. The students then were able to play vocab shot. This was an excellent way for the students to practice their vocabulary skills that included movement. Your lesson plans demonstrate your ability to think through a lesson. Over planning is the norm when you are teaching. To take your lessons to the next level, look into ways that you can assess in a natural way. What you have is good, but if you can think of ways to document the progress of your students (anecdotal notes).
Overall Rating:	Proficient
Suggestions for Improvement:	McKenna, You have done an excellent job demonstrating appropriate professionalism. This will truly set you apart from your peers. Mrs. Roth is an excellent resource for you to have, and I hope you are able to utilize her her in the future.

Do you believe this practicum student has the knowledge, skills, and attitude required to become an effective student teacher?	Yes
General Comments:	McKenna, It is a true joy to watch you with the students. You understand the importance of the curriculum, but are able to balance the students' need to be engaged. Great work! I look forward to seeing your growth in block 2!