

Behavior Observation Time Sampling

Name: _____ Observer: _____

Date: _____ Class Activity: _____

Time Start and Stop: _____

Target Behavior: _____

Identify the target child and select a comparison child. Observe for 15 minutes. At the **end** of each 30-second interval, record the behavior of each student. Use “+” for **did** occur and “-” for **did not** occur.

Target

Comparison

Target Comparison

Total Number of “+” _____

Total Number of Observations _____

Percentage of Time
(Divide total number of +’s by number of observations) _____

Teacher Interactions with the Student

Make a slash mark each time the teacher provides a positive or negative interaction is observed.

Target Student

Teacher interaction with student behaving appropriately (e.g., praise, greetings, providing reinforcement, etc.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
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Teacher interaction with student behaving inappropriately (e.g., reminders, reprimands, corrections, warnings)

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Ratio of Teacher Interactions with Student: ___# of Positives vs. ___# of Negatives

Comparison Student

Teacher interaction with student behaving appropriately (e.g., praise, greetings, providing reinforcement, etc.)

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Summarize the behavior of the target child: