

**M. Ed in Curriculum & Learning: School Library Media concentration  
Field Experience / Clinical Practice Evaluation**

**Field Experience Observations and Evaluations Scoring  
Elements of Candidate Work rated during CIEM/ELLM 621 Field Experiences Course  
[Rubric B -- used for Fall 2009, Spring 2010 semesters]**

3=Target (candidate displays element consistently, clearly or repeatedly well over time)

2=Acceptable (candidate displays element during field experience semester)

1=Unacceptable (candidate displays element sporadically, inconsistently, or not at all)

1. Analyze information needs to select appropriate sources and to supply information to students and teachers;
2. Contribute to an active learning environment through knowledge and application of student learning styles, and of the principles of teaching and learning;
3. Create effective, integrated library media programs through knowledge and application of the principles of library and information studies;
4. Advocate for reading and literacy initiatives through knowledge of children's and young adult literature, and collaboration with teachers to integrate literature into the curriculum;
5. Integrate information literacy and the NJCCCS through partnership, planning, collaboration, implementation, and assessment of learning;
6. Lead in providing equitable access to and effective use of technologies and innovations;
7. Plan, develop, implement, manage and evaluate the library media program to ensure that students and teachers use ideas and information effectively;
8. Know and implement the processes which provide access, organization and maintenance of resources;
9. Engage in reflective practice to increase effectiveness;
10. Model a strong commitment to lifelong learning and to the profession;
11. Uphold professional ethics and promote equity and diversity;
12. Advocate for the school library media program, involving the community;
13. Provide leadership, collaboration, technology and professional development;

14. Additional comments on candidate strengths listed by supervisor and/or university coordinator are 3=Target; 2=Acceptable/Appropriate; 1=Unacceptable/Inappropriate strengths for a candidate entering the profession.

15. Additional comments on candidate weaknesses listed by supervisor and/or university coordinator are 3=Target; 2=Acceptable/Appropriate; 1=Unacceptable/Inappropriate weaknesses for a candidate entering the profession.

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**Cooperating School Library Media Specialist / Site Supervisor & University Coordinator  
Rubric**

**Field Experience Observations and Evaluations Scoring**  
ELLM 621 -- Field Experiences in School Library Media Centers

[Rubric A – used for Spring 2008, Fall 2008, Spring 2009 semesters;  
Site Supervisor and Coordinator ratings listed separately for 8 elements plus Avg Total]

Candidate Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Initial

**Each element is assessed by both site supervisor and university coordinator individually/independently.**

**Element One:**

1. The candidate in the Field Experience has achieved mastery in the following as checked:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Analyze information needs to select appropriate sources and to supply information to students and teachers;
- \_\_\_\_\_ Contribute to an active learning environment through knowledge and application of student learning styles, and of the principles of teaching and learning;
- \_\_\_\_\_ Create effective, integrated library media programs through knowledge and application of the principles of library and information studies;
- \_\_\_\_\_ Advocate for reading and literacy initiatives through knowledge of children's and young adult literature, and collaboration with teachers to integrate literature into the curriculum;
- \_\_\_\_\_ Integrate information literacy and the NJCCCS through partnership, planning, collaboration, implementation, and assessment of learning;
- \_\_\_\_\_ Lead in providing equitable access to and effective use of technologies and innovations;
- \_\_\_\_\_ Plan, develop, implement, manage, and evaluate the library media program to ensure that students and teachers use ideas and information effectively;

\_\_\_\_\_ Know and implement the processes which provide access, organization and maintenance of resources;

\_\_\_\_\_ Engage in reflective practice to increase effectiveness;

\_\_\_\_\_ Model a strong commitment to lifelong learning and to the profession;

\_\_\_\_\_ Uphold professional ethics and promote equity and diversity;

\_\_\_\_\_ Advocate for the school library media program, involving the community;

\_\_\_\_\_ Provide leadership, collaboration, technology and professional development.

**Target:** 10-12 elements each checked and observed by site supervisor and university coordinator

**Acceptable:** 8-9 elements each checked and observed by site supervisor and university coordinator

**Unacceptable:** Less than 8 elements each checked by site supervisor and university coordinator

2. Number of hours spent in field experiences in media? \_\_\_\_\_ Number of absences?\_\_ tardy?\_\_\_\_  
(150 hour minimum required by law; no element here).

### **Element Two:**

3. Candidate strengths?

**Target:** Strengths each detailed by site supervisor and university coordinator are complimentary of the candidate and/or are closely aligned with the program's and profession's standards of performance.

**Acceptable:** Strengths each detailed by site supervisor and university coordinator are appropriate for the site environment and candidate experience level, and are aligned with the program's and profession's standards of performance.

**Unacceptable:** Strengths each detailed by site supervisor and university coordinator are not complimentary to the candidate or do not represent the program's and profession's standards of performance.

### **Element Three:**

4. Candidate weaknesses?

**Target:** Weaknesses each detailed by site supervisor and university coordinator are complimentary of the candidate and/or are closely aligned with the program's and profession's standards of performance.

**Acceptable:** Weaknesses each detailed by site supervisor and university coordinator are appropriate for the site environment and candidate experience level, and are aligned with the program's and profession's standards of performance.

**Unacceptable:** Weaknesses each detailed by site supervisor and university coordinator are not complimentary to the candidate or do not represent the program's and profession's standards of performance.

**Element Four:**

5. Comments (Please comment especially upon candidate's understanding of the concepts of diversity and inclusion)

**Target:** Comments each detailed by site supervisor and university coordinator are complimentary of the candidate and/or are closely aligned with the program's and profession's standards of performance.

**Acceptable:** Comments each detailed by site supervisor and university coordinator are appropriate for the site environment and candidate experience level, and are aligned with the program's and profession's standards of performance.

**Unacceptable:** Comments detailed by site supervisor and university coordinator are not complimentary to the candidate or do not represent the program's and profession's standards of performance.

**Average and Overall Rating (Element Five):**

A composite of the supervisor's and university coordinator's most frequent combined responses in the previous four elements and taking the entire experience into account; an overall assessment of both observers' evaluations.

**Elements Key**

**Element 1 – Mastery**

**Element 2 – Strengths**

**Element 3 – Weaknesses**

**Element 4 - Comments**