

School Observation

Observe around the school using the self-study survey on Home Involvement in Schooling as a template.

In making observations, it is important to understand the difference between what is happening and how well it is happening. Therefore, use the following two column format to first describe the mechanisms and then indicate whether they seem to be good and effective.

First: Describe what you see in as straightforward a manner as you can. (Avoid statements that conclude things were good or bad, more or less, etc.)

Second: What are your judgments/conclusions?(Indicate good-bad impressions, etc.)