

## WEEKLY RECORD OF DISCUSSION WITH SUBJECT MENTOR

DATE: MAR XX

Discussion should be informed by evidence in the trainee's teaching files -lesson evaluations, lesson observation feedback & from pupils' work. It is the trainee's responsibility to bring such evidence to the meeting.

**Quick Check:** 

My lesson plans are up-to-date: Y My lesson evaluations are up-to-date: Y

Highlight of the week......Josh stayed in all lesson.... I agree that the above constitutes an appropriate summary of our recent mentor meeting:

(Mentor's Signature)

I have made progress on last week's targets: Y Key dates this week?..Weds – tracking due..

Follow up actions: .....Talk with Head of KS3 for trainees after school next Mon re the overall tracking picture and next steps with the data – WSI session......

Review of the Week: Your Progress  What progress have you made with last week's targets set at your mentor meeting?  Much more pace and variety to lessons and better SEND planning. Used BFL system consistently - Y9 positive behaviour points had a big impact on engagement and learning.  Any areas you would like to discuss?  How department used marking and assessment to inform future planning and pupil progress.	Links to the Standards TS1/4 TS7	Discussion Area Discussed  How to frame better questions about consequences following the comment on my Form M about seeming a bit muddled on the conceptual learning I was trying to achieve.  How the department shares results of common assessment marking and uses this to inform planning for the next sequence.  How to promote and develop factual recall across KS4 – the pros and cons of when to introduce writing exam questions and how to keep students engaged with their learning.	Links to the Standards TS3  TS6  TS2
What recent evidence is there that your teaching is enabling pupils in the classes you teach to make progress?  DIRT time with Y7 – responded to my marking and individual targets from first lesson sequence. Pupils improved level of specific detail in their assessment paragraphs. Much more engagement from JH this week – tasks broken down and more check-ins helped.	T2/6	Ideas to Try  Think hard about what you want pupils to 'take-away' in terms of learning – what question frames your sequence. Make concepts part of the planning and use them to shape the content learning – time to read Riley TH 99 again!  Inter-leaving quizzes – 10 mins start and end of one lesson a week – use 'old' and 'new' knowledge in them.	T4 T6

Moving Forward:  Using the green assessment booklet to support you, agree 2 or 3 targets (linked to the Standards and including at least one subject specific target) which will enable you to improve pupils' progress as a result of your teaching:				
Subject Specific Target(s):	Links to the	General Teaching and Learning Targets:	Links to the	
Read Jim Carroll's work on explaining causation. Adapt it and develop some sentence starters specifically for consequences.	Standards TS3	Keep breaking down the activities and regularly checking understanding of SEND students to increase motivation.	Standards TS5	
Plan a lesson where Y9 develop criteria to assess historical significance. Make sure it revises 'criteria' but expects them to move beyond being given criteria to apply.	TS3	Monitor your own classroom circulation – who gets your attention? – mark it on your seating plan – try to even out the attention distribution.		