Verona Public Schools Performance Review for Learning Disability Teacher-Consultant (LDT-C)

Name:	Date:
School(s):	Evaluator:

Domain I: Planning and Preparation

1a. The LDT-C demonstrates knowledge and skills in using educational assessment instruments to evaluate students.

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2)Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C demonstrates competence with a wide range of educational/academic assessments to evaluate students and knows the proper situation in which each should be used.	The LDT-C demonstrates competence with a range of educational/academic assessments to evaluate students and answer evaluation questions.	The LDT-C demonstrates competence with and uses only one educational/academic assessment tool to evaluate students and answer evaluation questions.	The LDT-C demonstrates rudimentary knowledge of educational/academic assessments to evaluate students and answer evaluation questions.

Comments:

1b. The LDT-C demonstrates knowledge of child and adolescent academic development and integrates it with delivery of service.

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C demonstrates and applies extensive knowledge and understanding of child and adolescent academic development and knows variations in typical patterns.	The LDT-C demonstrates and applies thorough knowledge and understanding of child and adolescent academic development and applies it in daily practice.	The LDT-C demonstrates basic knowledge and understanding of child and adolescent academic development and attempts to apply it in daily practice.	The LDT-C demonstrates limited knowledge of child and adolescent academic development and does not apply it in daily practice.

Comments:

1c. The LDT-C demonstrates knowledge of and follows federal, state and local regulations and policies regarding special education and related services.

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C demonstrates strong	The LDT-C demonstrates knowledge	The LDT-C demonstrates minimal	The LDT-C is learning state, federal
knowledge and consistent application	and application of state, federal and	knowledge of state, federal and	and local regulations/policies
of state, federal and local	local regulations/policies regarding	local regulations/policies	regarding special education and
regulations/policies regarding special	special education and related	regarding special education and	related services and does not yet
education and related services.	services and attempts to apply the	related services and attempts to	apply this knowledge in daily practice
	knowledge in daily practice.	apply the knowledge in daily	
		practice.	

Comments:

1d. The LDT-C participates in student services meetings (i.e., Core Team, School Resource Committee (I&RS), Building CST) and assists in the planning of intervention services for individual students.

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C participates in student	The LDT-C participates in student	The LDT-C occasionally participates	The LDT-C occasionally participates
services meetings and consistently	services meetings and applies	in student services meetings and	in student services meetings and
applies knowledge of academic skill	knowledge of academic skill	applies basic knowledge of	demonstrates emerging knowledge
acquisition and development to help	acquisition and development to	academic skill acquisition and/or	of academic skill acquisition and
develop appropriate intervention	occasionally develop intervention	development to contribute to	development. The LDT-C rarely
services for students.	services for students.	discussion of intervention services	contributes to discussion of
		for children.	intervention services for students.

Comments:

1e. The LDT-C demonstrates strong time management, meeting organization/planning skills

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C manages time efficiently,	The LDT-C manages time, attempts to	The LDT-C demonstrates scattered	The LDT-C demonstrates limited
establishes priorities, and maintains	establish priorities and maintains	time management and	time management skills.
thorough records and session notes.	records and session notes. Meetings	prioritization skills. Meetings are	Meetings are not planned.
Meetings are well organized. All	are planned. Required participants are	loosely planned. Invited	Participation is limited and no
required participants are invited and	invited but not necessarily present or	participants who are unable to	agenda is followed.
present (unless excused), an agenda is	excused, an agenda is loosely followed,	attend are not excused and the	
followed, paper work with appropriate	paper work is available with no copies	LDT-C fails to chair meetings.	
copies are available for participants.	for participants.		

Comments:

Domain II: Environment

2a. The LDT-C establishes positive rapport with staff, students and parents

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-Cs interactions with staff,	The LDT-Cs interactions with staff,	The LDT-Cs interactions with staff,	The LDT-Cs interactions with staff,
students and/or parents reflect a	students and/or parents are	students and/or parents are a mix of	students and/or parents are
high degree of ethical standards,	respectful, positive and confidential.	positive and negative. The LDT-Cs	sometimes negative or
comfort, trust and confidentiality.	The LDT-C maintains high ethical	interactions are partially successful.	inappropriate. Individuals do not
	standards.	The LDT-C maintains ethical	appear comfortable in the presence
		standards.	of the LDT-C. Ethical standards are
			not always upheld.

Comments:

2b. The LDT-C supports a positive culture for differentiation, the application of learning theory and other educational principles throughout the school.

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
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The LDT-C actively supports and	The LDT-C promotes a positive	The LDT-C attempts to promote a	The LDT-C rarely promotes a
promotes a positive culture for	culture for differentiation and	positive culture for differentiation and	positive culture for differentiation
differentiation and the application of	application of learning theory. The	the application of learning theory. The	and the application of learning
learning theory. The LDT-C routinely	LDT-C assists staff in making	LDT-C occasionally assists staff in	theory. The LDT-C occasionally
assists staff in making	modifications/accommodations to	making	assists staff in making
modifications/accommodations to	student programs and educates	modifications/accommodations to	modifications/accommodations to
student programs and educates staff	staff and parents on these and	student programs and educates staff	student programs and educates
and parents on these and other	other appropriate educational	and parents on these and other	staff and parents on these and
appropriate educational principles.	principles.	appropriate educational principles.	other appropriate educational
			principles.

2c. The LDT-C designs and participates in community informational programs to inform parents and staff about special education programs in the district and the role of the LDT-C in the school environment.

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C designs and participates in	The LDT-C participates in community	Upon request, the LDT-C participates in	The LDT-C rarely participates in
community informational programs	informational programs to inform	community informational programs to	community informational
to inform parents and staff about	parents and staff about special	inform parents and staff about special	programs to inform parents and
special education programs in the	education programs in the district	education programs in the district and	staff about special education
district and the role of the LDT-C in	and the role of the LDT-C in the	the role of the LDT-C in the school	programs in the district and the
the school environment.	school environment.	environment.	role of the LDT-C in the school
			environment.

Comments:

Domain III: Delivery of Service

3a. The LDT-C follows federal, state and local procedures for referral, evaluation and eligibility

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C consistently follows all	The LDT-C follows timelines and applies	The LDT-C applies some of the	The LDT-C is beginning to learn
procedures and timelines for referral	most but not all procedures for referral	procedures and timelines for referral	and apply timelines and
and evaluation. The LDT-C tailors	and evaluation. Evaluations are tailored	and evaluation. The LDT-C attempts to	procedures for referral and
evaluations to answer evaluation	to answer evaluation questions and	tailor the evaluation to answer	evaluation. Eligibility is
questions and selects from a broad	assessments are selected from a	evaluation questions and selects from a	determined in isolation without
repertoire of assessments. The LDT-C	repertoire of assessments. Eligibility is	limited repertoire of assessment tools.	input from other members of
determines eligibility collaboratively	determined collaboratively with	Eligibility is not consistently determined	the evaluating team and
with members of the Evaluation	members of the Evaluation Team.	collaboratively.	evaluations are not tailored to
Team.			answer evaluation questions.

Comments:

3b. The LDT-C assists in the development of a comprehensive program of services for each student requiring special education and/or related services.

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C consistently collaborates	The LDT-C consults with members of	The LDT-C makes suggestions for a	The LDT-C rarely contributes to
with members of the IEP Team to	the IEP Team to develop a program of	program of services for each student	program development.
develop a comprehensive program of	services for each student requiring	requiring special education and/or related	
services for each student requiring	special education and/or related	services but does not collaborate with	
special education and/or related	services.	members of the IEP Team to develop	
services.		programs or the IEP.	

3c. The LDT-C follows case management responsibilities for students assigned by the Director of Special Services

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(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C acts as a liaison	The LDT-C acts as a liaison between	The LDT-C is learning to act as a	The LDT-C requires additional
between the district, the student	the district, the student and the	liaison between the district, the	supervision to act as a liaison between
and the parents. Timelines are	parents. Timelines are followed.	student and the parents. Timelines	the district, the student and the
followed, often in advance of due	The LDT-C coordinates most case	are generally followed. The LDT-C fails	parents. Timelines are not consistently
dates. The LDT-C coordinates all	activities and communicates with	to coordinate case activities and	followed. Case coordination and
case activities and communicates	staff, students and parents on the	communicates with some but not all	communication with staff, students
regularly with staff, students and	caseload.	staff, students and parents on the	and parents on the caseload is
parents on the caseload.		caseload.	minimal.

Comments:

3d. The LDT-C writes thorough reports that include all required elements

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C writes timely,	The LDT-C writes thorough	The LDT-C writes diagnostic reports	The LDT-C relies on report writer or
comprehensive diagnostic reports in	diagnostic reports that describe at	that include a minimal description	other computer program to develop
clear, concise language that	least some of the academic	of the academic proficiency and	a report. Reports lack a description
describe the academic proficiency	proficiency and learning	learning characteristics of the	of the academic proficiency and
and learning characteristics of the	characteristics of the assessed	assessed student.	learning characteristics of the
assessed student.	student.		assessed student.

Comments:

3e. The LDT-C coordinates development of eligibility statements and IEPs.

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The case manager/ LDT-C ensures	The case manager/LDT-C ensures	Eligibility is questionable and the case	Eligibility is questionable and the case
eligibility is determined	eligibility is determined	manager/LDT-C fails to guide the	manager/ LDT-C fails to guide the
appropriately. Data from assessments	appropriately. Data from	evaluating team toward consensus.	evaluating team toward consensus.
is integrated to determine eligibility,	assessments is integrated to	Assessment data is not integrated to	Assessment data is not integrated to
placement, and	determine eligibility, placement,	determine placement, and	determine placement, and

instructional/educational	and instructional/educational	instructional/educational	instructional/educational
programming. PLAAFPs are data	programming. PLAAFPs statements	programming. PLAAFPs statements	programming. The case
driven statements describing	describe classroom performance	are minimal descriptions of classroom	manager/school LDT-C is learning
classroom performance as well as	as well as progress in	performance and may not include	how to coordinate PLAAFP
progress in goals/objectives.	goals/objectives. Measurable	progress in goals/objectives.	statements. Goals and objectives are
Measurable goals/objectives	goals/objectives reflective of the	Measurable goals/objectives aligned	not necessarily measurable, aligned
reflective of the PLAAFP are	PLAAFP are developed and aligned	with the CCSS are developed.	to the CCSS or reflective of the
developed and aligned with CCSS.	with CCSS.		PLAAFP.

3f. The LDT-C consults with teachers and staff members regarding student performance

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C regularly observes in	The LDT-C occasionally consults with	The LDT-C provides some	The LDT-C rarely consults with
class and consults with teachers	teachers and staff members	consultation to teachers and staff	teachers and staff members
and staff members regarding the	regarding the academic	regarding the academic	regarding the academic performance
academic performance of students	performance of all students across	performance of some students	of students across all areas and on
across all areas and on the	all areas and on the caseload.	across all areas and on the	the caseload.
caseload.		caseload.	

Comments:

3g. The LDT-C demonstrates flexibility and responsiveness

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C meets all responsibilities	The LDT-C meets responsibilities	The LDT-C meets responsibilities	The LDT-C requires guidance to
while maintaining flexibility. The LDT-C	with some flexibility and makes	but is not flexible. Changes in	meet responsibilities. Program
continually seeks ways to improve	revisions in programs based on the	program are made only when	changes are rarely made, even
programs and makes changes based on	identified needs of students.	confronted with evidence of a	with evidence of a need for
the identified needs of students.		need for change.	change.

Comments:

Domain IV: Professional Responsibilities

4a. The LDT-C reflects on practice

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C's reflection is highly accurate	The LDT-C reflects on professional	The LDT-C reflects on	The LDT-C rarely reflects on
and perceptive. The LDT-C reflects on	practice and is open to suggestions	professional practice only when	professional practice.
professional practice and looks for new,	from supervisors regarding ways to	encouraged to do so by	
innovative ways to improve on it.	improve on it.	supervisors.	

Comments:

4b. The LDT-C maintains communication with staff, families and students

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C maintains ongoing	The LDT-C communicates with staff,	The LDT-C rarely	The LDT-C communicates with staff,
communication with staff, families and	families and students periodically	communicates with staff,	families and students regarding
students regarding student	during the school year regarding	families and students	performance and academic
performance and academic	student performance and academic	regarding student	achievement only when required to
achievement.	achievement.	performance and academic	do so.
		achievement.	

Comments:

4c. The LDT-C maintains accurate records

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C records all phone calls and	The LDT-C records contact with	The LDT-C is learning to record	The LDT-C does not record
contact with students, staff and families.	students, staff and families. Most	accurate, legible records.	phone calls and contact with
Emails are printed and filed. All records	emails are printed and filed. Records	Emails are not always saved,	students, staff and families.
are accurate and legible, well organized	are accurate and legible. Some	printed or filed. Student files,	Student files, special Services
and stored in a secure location. Records	records are placed in secure files in	Special Services files are not	files are not always up to date.
are placed in secure files in Special	Special Services as well as in building	always up to date.	
Services as well as in building files.	files but not always in both locations.		

Comments:

4d. The LDT-C participates in a professional community

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C holds national licensing	The LDT-C is an active member	The LDT-C is considering	The LDT-C is not a member of
and is an active member of national	of appropriate national and/or	membership in appropriate	appropriate national and/or state
and state associations. The LDT-C	state organizations. The LDT-C	national and state organizations.	organizations and does not plan to
makes a substantial contribution to	participates actively in school	The LDT-C participates in school	join the organizations. The LDT-C
school and district events.	and district events.	and district events when	avoids being involved in school and
		specifically asked to do so.	district events.

Comments:

4e. The LDT-C engages in professional development

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C looks for and takes	The LDT-C looks for and attends	The LDT-C will attend professional	The LDT-C is reluctant to attend
advantage of professional	professional development	development opportunities when	professional development
development opportunities on	opportunities but often narrows	required to do so by the school	opportunities and rarely
various topics appropriate to school	workshops to one particular topic.	district. The LDT-C will turn-key	turn-keys information upon

LDT-Cs. The LDT-C turn-keys	The LDT-C turn-keys information to	information upon returning from a	returning from a conference or
information to other district	other district employees upon	conference or workshop if asked to	workshop.
employees upon returning from a	returning from a conference or	do so.	
conference or workshop.	workshop.		

4f. The LDT-C demonstrates professionalism

(4) Highly Effective	(3) Effective	(2) Partially Effective	(1) Ineffective
The LDT-C demonstrates	The LDT-C demonstrates	The LDT-C requires mentoring to	The LDT-C demonstrates limited
professionalism in all aspects of	professionalism in most aspects of	develop appropriate	understanding of required
his/her work. The LDT-C maintains	his/her work. The LDT-C maintains	professionalism in all aspects of	professionalism associated with
high ethical standards and	high ethical standards and	his/her work.	his/her position. Relationships with
confidentiality.	confidentiality.	Relationships with colleagues are	colleagues are negative and
		cordial.	self-serving.

Comments:

EVALUATED PROFESSIONAL'S COMMENTS:

EVALUATOR'S	STAFF MEMBER'S	
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