Coaching & Observing Learning Engagement: Reflection Questions

Active **Participation**

- What evidence demonstrates that students stay on task and actively engaged during the entire lesson?
- How do students take ownership of learning new content?
- How do students demonstrate active listening during the lesson?
- How do students exhibit respect for their classmates?
- To what extent is class time utilized wisely with minimal disruptions or lost instructional time?
- How do students seek to improve their own performance?
- What evidence demonstrates that students monitor and adjust their own participation?
- What evidence demonstrates that students collaborate with others to accomplish assignments?
- What evidence demonstrates that students corrected each other respectfully when off task?
- To what extent do students exhibit signs of valuing the content taught?
- What evidence demonstrates that students are given opportunities to interact and collaborate with their peers?
- In what ways is active participation creating opportunities for use of today's career skills, and which ones?

Learning **Environment**

- To what degree are the classroom learning procedures and routines well established yet remain flexible to adapt to the learning task as needed?
- How are students participating in the development of classroom expectations?
- What evidence demonstrates that students are provided with timely and effective feedback to help them guide their learning?
- What evidence demonstrates that students persevere through productive struggle?
- To what extent do students exhibit signs of feeling safe to make mistakes?
- To what extent do students demonstrate care and respect for peers, the teacher, and the learning environment?
- How effectively do students transition from one learning task to another?
- To what extent do students pay attention to the details of their learning tasks?
- What evidence demonstrates that high expectations are set for all students?
- What evidence demonstrates that students exhibit pride in highquality work?
- How is the learning environment promoting use of today's career skills, and which ones?

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Formative Processes and Tools

- What evidence indicates that students demonstrate mastery of content through opportunities to self-reflect and set goals?
- To what degree do students demonstrate the ability to share responsibility for their learning?
- What evidence demonstrates that students understand and can articulate how their work is assessed?
- How do assessment results indicate that students are exceeding expected outcomes?
- To what extent are formative assessment results used to adjust instruction immediately?
- How is differentiation utilized in the classroom and to what impact?
- Are students aware of the criteria that will be used to assess their learning?
- To what extent are students engaged in self-reflection?
- How are formative processes and tools contributing to the use of today's career skills, and which ones?

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