

Practicum Student Evaluation Form

Practicum Student's Name:	Nick Keller
Date:	2014-12-03
Practicum Student's Email Address:	nakeller1@umary.edu
Teaching Major:	Physical Education
Practicum:	EDU 401 - Secondary Practicum
Name of practicum teacher:	Leah Wheeling
Name of person completing this evaluation:	Leah Wheeling
Evaluator's Email Address:	leah_wheeling@bismarckschools.org
Cooperating School:	Simle Middle School
Overall Rating:	Proficient
Suggestions for Improvement:	The more Nick teaches and gives instruction the better you will get at it. I was impressed with how well and naturally nick fit into the role of teaching. Very calm, and collected. Created a very welcoming and great learning environment for the students. Great student Model.
Overall Rating:	Proficient
Suggestions for Improvement:	One thing he will get better at with experience will be order of instructions and keeping track of all the how, what, and where aspects of instructions for students. He his good at it now but will eventually become efficient with all the transitioning of activities.
Overall Rating:	Proficient
Suggestions for Improvement:	When Nick gets into Student teaching, hopefully he is free to do more of the instructional planning. His practicum took place during a shared gym space in the unit of badminton and Nitroball. My suggestion would be that he is given the freedom to pick the units and design them completely himself. Nick is great at explaining how he would modify lessons and make them more beneficial to the student so it would be nice to make sure he gets that opportunity when he student teaches.
Do you believe this practicum student has the knowledge, skills, and attitude required to become an effective student teacher?	Yes
General Comments:	Nick engages the students extremely well. He guides them through the logical problem solving process when they have a questions and concerns. He is fully capable of being a role model and an excellent professional PE instructor.