

Step 6: Explore the Lesson

Goal: To identify what went well during the practice attempt and what adjustments need to be made if the goal has not been met

Actions:

1. Prior to meeting, review the recording of the lesson and identify at least three sections that you think are excellent and two sections that you think would be meaningful to discuss.
2. Ask the teacher to also identify three sections that they think are excellent and two sections that they have concerns about.
3. Give the teacher a copy of the observation protocol or protocols.
4. Review the video.
5. Identify at least three clips you think are well done and plan direct, specific, nonattributive feedback.
6. Identify sections that you think would be profitable to discuss.
7. Choose questions (review the question sheet on page 260) that you think will open up the conversation.
8. Meet with the teacher to review the teacher's and your clips.
9. Pause the recording when you talk.
10. Use open-ended nonjudgmental questions to open up meaningful conversation.
11. Identify a SMART goal for the next step.

Time: 20–60 minutes