

Core Competency Goal Self-Assessment: Communication (COM)

Name:		Date:		Strength Area	Stretch Area	Area I want to Target
1	a) I can respond meaningfully to communication from peers and adults					
Profile 2	a) I can communicate and listen to peers and adults by talking					
	b) I can communicate for a purpose					
	c) I can communicate information about topics that are important to me					
	d) I can answer simple and direct questions about my experiences					
Profile 3	a) I can participate in conversations for a variety of purposes					
	b) I can listen and respond to others					
	c) I can consider my purpose when I am choosing a form and content					
	d) I can communicate clearly about topics that I know and understand well, using forms and strategies I have practices					
	e) I can gather the information I need and present it					
Profile 4	a) I can share my ideas and try and connect them with others' ideas					
	b) I am an active listener and can make connections					
	c) I can ask clarifying and extending questions when appropriate					
	d) I can plan ways to make my message clear and engaging for my audience					
	e) I can create communications that focus on a variety of purposes and audiences					
	f) I can acquire the information that I need for specific tasks and for my own interests and present information clearly					

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Profile 5	a) I can focus and help build and extend understanding in discussions and conversations			
	b) I can be an engaged listener and ask thought provoking questions when appropriate			
	c) I can be an engaged listener and integrate new information from questions asked			
	d) I can create a wide range of effective communications that feature powerful images and words			
	e) I can identify ways to change my communications to make them effective for different audiences			
	f) I can use my understanding of the role and impact of story to engage my audiences in meaning making			
	g) I can acquire information about complex and specialized topics from various sources			
	h) I can synthesis information from a variety of sources and present it with a thoughtful analysis			
Profile 6	a) I can contribute purposefully to discussions and conversations			
	b) I can synthesize, deepen, and transform my own and others' thinking			
	c) I can weave multiple messages into my communications, and I understand that my audience will use their own knowledge and experiences in making meaning			
	d) I can show understanding and control of the forms and technologies that I use			
	e) I can assess audience response and draw on a repertoire of strategies to increase my intended impact			
	f) I can acquire, critically analyze, and integrate well-chosen information from a range of sources			