

Question Exploration Guide Checklist

School: _____
 Teacher: _____
 Teacher ID # : _____

Week : _____
 Unit Content : _____
 Module : _____

TEACHING BEHAVIOR	SCALES
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Question	OBS.	RPT.	Comments
<i>The Question</i> should focus on an important topic with lasting import.			
<i>The Question</i> should relate to a unit or course question.			
<i>The Question</i> must elicit the Main Idea Answer exactly.			
<i>The Question</i> should explicitly state key words needed to be defined.			

Key Terms and Explanations	OBS.	RPT.	Comments
<i>Key Terms and Explanations</i> must contain the explicit terms in the question.			
<i>Key Terms and Explanations</i> should contain implicit terms needed to answer the question.			
<i>Key Terms and Explanations</i> may be added to throughout development.			

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Supporting Questions	OBS.	RPT.	Comments
<p><i>Supporting Questions</i> should be developed according to questioning patterns. (Key Word questions, Signal Word questions, Connected questions). See manual.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Can contain questions about the key words 2. Can contain questions starting with “who, when, why, where, how” 3. Can developed questions based on previous supporting question 			
<p><i>Supporting Questions</i> must contain ALL of the information needed to derive the Main Idea Answer AND to answer the extension and generalization questions.</p>			
<p>Use no more than 5-6 <i>supporting questions</i>. (If more are needed, consider developing another QEG.)</p>			
<p>The answers to the <i>supporting questions</i> should result in a paragraph of <u>details</u> that serve to construct the Main Idea Answer.</p>			
Main Idea Answer	OBS.	RPT.	Comments
<p>The Main Idea Answer must completely answer the question.</p>			
<p>The Main Idea Answer must use the information developed in the supporting questions.</p>			

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Use of Main Idea	OBS.	RPT.	Comments
The Main Idea Answer must be applied to a topic in a related subject area or other closely related area.			
Overall Idea or Real-World Use	OBS.	RPT.	Comments
The Main Idea Answer must be applied to a topic in an area that is not closely related – as in a real world use; this is a generalization challenge.			
If an Overall Idea is developed, it must be at a larger, overall idea that can apply to other areas or situations.			