



Reflective Practicum: In School Immersion

Personal Learning Contract

As a Third Year / Fourth Year Practicum Student

I, _____ understand and commit myself to abiding by the following:

1. I am responsible for my learning experience and therefore must:
 - attend all seminars/workshops held for me for the duration of the practice.
 - be proactive and seek assistance from others. This includes:
 - (a) take my lesson plans to my supervisors. (My aim is for the tutor to check the plan before I teach.)
 - (b) approach subject tutors and engage in academic discussions to assist me in lesson planning.
 - be creative and willing to try new strategies and use appropriate instructional media in teaching and classroom management.
 - do my own research to ensure I understand and document the required content for each subject/lesson.
 - document my growth and development, organizing relevant artefacts into a portfolio.
2. I recognize my professional responsibilities towards the University, the school to which I am assigned and to myself, thus
 - I am aware that if I am absent from my class, my supervisor, the University and cooperating school must be informed. A doctor's certificate should be produced where necessary.
 - I am aware that my absence in the field will be subject to the guidelines and stipulations of the University as outlined in the current Undergraduate Handbook.
 - I am aware that any report of unprofessional conduct in the field may result in my temporary or permanent withdrawal from the school of practice at the discretion of the University.
3. I am aware that only registered students will be supervised.
4. I am aware that I am expected to participate meaningfully in a learning community as well as in the many and varied activities of the school to which I have been assigned.

Student Signature: _____ **Date Signed:** _____

Accepted by: _____ **Received on:** _____