Practicum Student Evaluation Form

Practicum Student's Name:	Kaycee Luke
Date:	2016-04-19
Practicum Student's Email Address:	kmluke1@umary.edu
Teaching Major:	Elementary Education
Practicum:	EDU 300 - Elementary Practicum
Name of practicum teacher:	Tara Steele
Cooperating School:	Northridge
Name of person completing this evaluation:	Tara Steele
Evaluator's Position:	Practicum Teacher
Evaluator's Email Address:	tara_steele@bismarckschools.org
Overall Rating:	Proficient
Suggestions for Improvement:	Miss Luke's strength is in her ability to reflect on her teaching and the student's learning. She is always thinking about ways to improve a lesson or interaction or noticing what went well and why it worked. An area of improvement could be in trying different assessment techniques such as a quick exit slip or turn and talk. Wrapping up the lesson with an explanation or expectation is key so the students know why the lesson is important.
Overall Rating:	Proficient
Suggestions for Improvement:	Miss Luke effectively taught her lessons in this practicum. She used a variety of instructional strategies throughout the week and with little assistance, adapted her strategies as individual student needs arose. As she spends more time in classrooms, she will build her depth of strategies and be able to use them on the fly.
Overall Rating:	Proficient
Suggestions for Improvement:	Miss Luke forms fast bonds with students. She is approachable and engaging. The students trust her and work for her. Her planning skills and professionalism are also strengths.
Do you believe this practicum student has the knowledge, skills, and attitude required to become an effective student teacher?	Yes
General Comments:	Miss Luke is on her way to becoming an effective teacher. She connects and engages with children very well which will be to her advantage. I appreciated her great attitude and smiling face every time she entered our classroom. The one thing I would tell her is to trust herself and to not be afraid of taking risks.