

Teaching Observation Feedback Form

Instructor / TA	Topic	Date
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Strengths

What aspects of the presentation were effective?

I tried to introduce the method we were going to use to solve the problem with some visual intuition, putting the information into context the students would already have from class.

I regularly made "eye contact" with the audience.

Suggestions for improvement

What changes could make the lesson more effective?

I misspoke at some point, saying "n" instead of "1".

I could try to talk more as I write.

I'd like to be able to write faster on white boards/chalk boards without sacrificing clarity.

Comment on these characteristics of effective teaching

DELIVERY pace, gestures, eye contact, volume, clear articulation, enthusiasm, confidence, time management.

STRUCTURE clear learning objectives, good explanations, content aimed at audience, transitions, effective visual aids.

INTERACTIVITY audience engagement, response time, active listening, quality responses, use of examples.

Remember: Effective feedback is descriptive, specific, and focuses on changeable actions.