

Activity 8.1 – Analyze a Lesson

*Apply your Knowledge*

Workbook

Context: 3rd grade classroom

* Students are using the text “Backpacks Mean Backaches” and a graphic organizer
* Students have already learns the meaning of “cause” and “effect”
* Students have already learned the list of clue words for both “cause” and “effect”

General purpose: students will use clue words to identify the cause and effect in text

1. **What is the lesson objective?**
2. **Does this lesson meet our criteria for creating objectives?**

The methods used to **create objectives** should:

Choose objectives based on student performance relative to goals.

* Select a goal from IEP or standards

Explanation:

* Choose an objective that is the next step toward the goal

Explanation:

Write focused objectives that describe the specific learning outcome.

* Limit the objective to one singular next step toward the goal

Explanation:

* Describe a learning outcome in behavioral terms that assesses mastery of the objective

Explanation:

What would be a better objective?

1. **When do you see evidence of modeling?** Record specific times below.

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| Time | Observation |
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1. **Does this lesson meet our criteria for providing modeling?**

The methods used to **provide modeling** should:

* Give clear explanations
* Match the explanation to the learning outcome
* Design the explanation so that it is correct, clear and concise
* Use the explanation consistently

Explanation:

* Model multiple planned examples
	+ Show all steps or provide unique examples
	+ Verbalize your thinking
	+ Have students observe

Explanation:

* Use supporting practices

Explanation: