
Development of Energy Education in the Mekong Area (DEEM)

Rubric as assessment form

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Using a rubric as assessment form

A rubric is a coherent set of criteria for students' work that includes descriptions of levels of performance quality on criteria

Purpose: To assess performance and to provide feedback.

Instead of judging the performance it describes the performance.

Why are rubrics important:

- It is a tool to give performance feedback
- Increases transparency of the assessment

Rubric

Individually, fill in the rubric (10 minutes)

In pairs, discuss your results and experiences (10 minutes)

- Was it easy/difficult to use the matrix?
- Are your results similar/different?

Plenary, usefulness of the rubric for your own teaching practice

Reminders for giving Feedback

1. Distinguish:
 - observation
 - interpretation
 - effect on you

I think...
I feel...
I hear...
I see...
I notice...
2. Feedback is *your opinion*
3. Mix positive and negative feedback
4. Speak directly to the person you give feedback to
5. Avoid using words like 'Always' and 'Never'

Reminders for receiving Feedback

1. Feedback is not meant to put you down, but to help you getting insight in you personal role in the group
2. If you feel offended, speak about that
3. Ask questions
4. Don't defend yourself
5. Decide later