

## Sample Listening Behaviour Checklist

Name of Student:

Dates Observed

<b>Listening Behaviour and Habits</b>								
1. Does student get ready to listen?								
2. Does student keep attentive during oral presentation?								
3. Does student look at speaker?*								
4. Does student's behaviour show interest?								
5. Does student take notes?								
6. Do comments indicate a grasp of talk?								
7. Is student polite when others talk?								
8. Does student ask questions?								

\* Some of the items listed in this checklist (e.g, eye contact) can vary across cultures and in accordance with situation. Teachers should also be aware of second language and dialectical differences that can be present in students' speech, and adapt their assessment instruments accordingly.

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