

Solve problems effectively

Name _____ Date _____

Directions: Use the scale legend to rate each item. Then total each group and the whole rubric.

Legend:

5 = DEFINITE STRENGTH (succeeds at a high level without struggling or hesitation)

4 = STRENGTH (succeeds at a high level with some struggle or hesitation)

3 = ACCEPTABLE (hesitates and struggles, but succeeds at a satisfactory level)

2 = NEED (hesitates and struggles and may succeed in parts, but not the whole)

1 = DEFINITE NEED (does not succeed--does not know what to do or gives up quickly or does not try)

	Possible	Earned
Determine the problem		
• Gather information about the problem	5	___
• Define obstacle(s) that need to be overcome	5	___
• Write down information or make drawings of the problem	5	___
Subtotal for Group	15	___
D Strength=14-15 S trength=11-13 A cceptable=8-10 N eed=5-7 D Weak=3-4	Rating	___
Determine best solution		
• Brainstorm possible solutions	5	___
• Analyze possible solutions and how they might turn out	5	___
• List pros and cons	5	___
• Seek others' advice	5	___
• Picture or think about carrying out each solution	5	___
Subtotal for Group	25	___
D Strength=23-25 S trength=18-22 A cceptable=13-17 N eed=8-12 D Weak=5-7	Rating	___
Carry out best solution(s)		
• Select best solution(s)	5	___
• Carry out best solution(s)	5	___
• Decide whether problem is solved to expectations	5	___
• Look at what could be done to make the outcome better	5	___
Subtotal for Group	20	___
D Strength=18-20 S trength=14-17 A cceptable=10-13 N eed=6-9 D Weak=4-5	Rating	___
Overall Total	60	___
D Strength=55-60 S trength=43-54 A cceptable=31-42 N eed=19-30 D Weak=12-18	Rating	___

Comments