

7. The Shepherd Hill student demonstrates cultural literacy – understanding diverse cultures and recognizing global perspectives

	Exceeds Expectation	Meets Expectation	Working Toward Expectation	Below Expectation
Awareness	Consistently exhibits an understanding that culture impacts behavior and beliefs. Able to comprehend and articulate the similarities and differences between groups from different cultural backgrounds.	Exhibits an understanding and is able to identify the relationship between culture, behavior, and beliefs.	Has a rudimentary knowledge of the relationship between culture, behavior, and beliefs. Developing a deeper understanding of the differences between groups from diverse cultural backgrounds.	Lacks understanding of the relationship between culture, behavior, and beliefs. Demonstrates little to no awareness of the differences between people from different cultural backgrounds.
Foundations of Culture	Consistently demonstrates a strong understanding that historical knowledge is constructed, and is therefore shaped, by personal, political, and social forces.	Frequently demonstrates an understanding that historical knowledge is constructed, and is therefore shaped, by personal, political, and social forces.	Occasionally demonstrates an understanding that historical knowledge is constructed, and is therefore shaped, by personal, political, and social forces.	Does not understand that historical knowledge is constructed, and is therefore shaped, by personal, political, and social forces.
Cultural Interactions	Consistently demonstrates an appreciation and understanding of people from other cultural groups and is able to work in a cooperative and positive manner.	Frequently demonstrates an appreciation and understanding of people from other cultural groups and is able to work in a cooperative and positive manner.	Occasionally demonstrates an appreciation and understanding of people from other cultural groups and has difficulty working in a cooperative and positive manner.	Lacks an appreciation and understanding of people from other cultural groups and is unable to work in a cooperative and positive manner.
Sensitivity	Consistently demonstrates an understanding of issues related to discrimination and prejudice.	Frequently demonstrates an understanding of issues related to discrimination and prejudice.	Occasionally demonstrates an understanding of issues related to discrimination and prejudice.	Lacks understanding of issues related to discrimination and prejudice.
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Proficiency is attained at the “meets expectation” level.