

**Rubric: Science (Lower Block: Grade 3)**  
**Systems**

Grading Descriptors	Poor	Good	Very Good
Criteria	Improvement Needed	Good/Satisfactory	Exemplary
<b>Identify the different parts of plants and state their functions.</b> - leaf - stem - root	The ability to identify the different parts of plants and state their functions has been partially demonstrated. The student has not exhibited satisfactory levels of competency or confidence.	The ability to identify the different parts of plants and state their functions has been satisfactorily demonstrated in a reasonably confident manner that exhibits a good level of competency.	The ability to identify the different parts of plants and state their functions has been demonstrated in a very confident manner that exhibits a high level of competency.
<b>Observe plant parts.</b>	The ability to accurately observe plant parts has been partially demonstrated. The student has not exhibited satisfactory levels of competency or confidence.	The ability to accurately observe plant parts has been satisfactorily demonstrated in a reasonably confident manner that exhibits a good level of competency.	The ability to accurately observe plant parts has been demonstrated in a very confident manner that exhibits a high level of competency.
<b>Show curiosity in exploring the surrounding plants and question what they find.</b>	The ability to show curiosity in exploring the surrounding plants and question what they find has been partially demonstrated. The student has not exhibited satisfactory levels of competency or confidence.	The ability to show curiosity in exploring the surrounding plants and question what they find has been satisfactorily demonstrated in a reasonably confident manner that exhibits a good level of competency.	The ability to show curiosity in exploring the surrounding plants and question what they find has been demonstrated in a very confident manner that exhibits a high level of competency.
<b>Show concern by being responsible towards plants.</b>	The ability to show concern by being responsible towards plants has been partially demonstrated. The student has not exhibited satisfactory levels of competency or confidence.	The ability to show concern by being responsible towards plants has been satisfactorily demonstrated in a reasonably confident manner that exhibits a good level of competency.	The ability show concern by being responsible towards plants has been demonstrated in a very confident manner that exhibits a high level of competency.

Unit/Topic: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Student: \_\_\_\_\_

**Actions required to alter the behaviour of student:**

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**Actions required to improve student competencies.**

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