

Office of Faith Formation and Lay Ecclesial Ministry Directory for Catechesis

For use by Parish Pastoral or Catechetical Leader in assessing effectiveness of catechist/facilitator

CATECHIST/FACILITATOR REVIEW

Catechist/Facilitator	Date
Observer	Age Level(s)
Goal of observation:	
I. Atmosphere	III. Participant Engagement
1. Participants feel comfortable with leader and each other 2. Relaxed environment 3. Catechist/facilitator enthusiasm 4. Management 5. Comfortable physical arrangements 6. Prayer space provided	 1. Participants seem involved and motivated 2. Provision for individual learning styles 3. Evidence of learning appropriation 4. Developmentally appropriate discussion with learners
Comments:	Comments:
II. Catechetical Method	IV. Content
 1. Pre-planned session design 2. Use of technology 3. Critical thinking and reflection 4. Clearly worded questions and directions 5. Logical development of session 6. Summary at end of session 7. Variety of prayer forms 8. Variety of learning activities 	 1. Catechist/facilitator knowledge of subject matter 2. Both "Head & Heart" faith developed 3. Application to life and experience 4. Meaningful follow-up activities 5. Vocabulary appropriate for audience
Comments:	Comments: