



BSc (Hons) & MSc Speech & Language Therapy Core Skills Progress Form for Clinical Placements

Core Skills 1 Observation Placement

This document is now housed and needs to be signed off on our Placement Assessment Records and Evaluation (PARE) platform.

Educators/ Mentors:

Educators in NHS Trusts - If you do not have a PARE login please contact your Clinical Placements lead or PLF

Educators in private, independent and voluntary organisations, please contact sltplacements@leedsbeckett.ac.uk if you do not have a PARE login

Please tick the relevant section on PARE if the student has demonstrated that skill on the placement day with you. Any comments are welcome eg. feedback on good practice, at the end of the form. If the student has not demonstrated that skill – please put a X in the box and indicate the reason at the end of the form. Please give the student specific feedback as to why you are unable to tick the box and please also contact the university team at sltplacements@leedsbeckett.ac.uk within 3 days of the placement day to discuss this. We can then support the student to develop this skill for future placements, Thank you.

Students: 100% achievement is required to pass Core Skills 1. If you there are any X's on PARE, please contact your academic advisor, for support to help you to develop this skill.

These are the Core Skills that the students should be demonstrating:

Core Skill	Linked to HCPC Standards of Proficiency (SOPs) for SLTs, (2023)
1. Contacted Placement Educators prior to the placement appropriately	9
2. Attendance/Punctuality are reliable	3
3. Dress and presentation of student is suitable for the setting	3
4. Appropriately prepared and organised for the placement ie has ID badge and paper / pen	1
5. Interacts suitably with SLTs and / or other professionals	8
6. Interacts suitably with clients and carers when required to do so	8



7. Shows interest in the therapeutic situation eg asks questions	4
8. Maintains confidentiality appropriately	6
9. Able to demonstrate professional behaviour	HCPC Guidance on conduct and ethics for students
Signature of educator / mentor	

Please explain any areas where the student has not demonstrated the required behaviour / skill, and sign and date your comments:

Please add any additional comments e.g. strengths, and sign and date your comments: