

Lesson Plan Adaptation Project Template

This project template provides a structured framework for developing classroom and instructional adaptations for K–6 students with disabilities. Organized around the learning environment, teaching environment, and evaluation environment, the template guides teacher candidates in identifying student needs, recognizing potential mismatches between learners and instruction, and designing pedagogically sound adaptations with clear rationale.

Descriptions of Three Students with Disabilities

Student #1: Description

Student #2: Description

Student #3: Description

Learning Environment

Socio-emotional Environment and Rationale

(e.g., attitude of teachers and students, self-esteem, risk-free/friendly environment, positive interaction among students, motivation, engagement, cooperation, social skills)

Student #1: Description

Student #2: Description

Student #3: Description

Behavioral Environment and Rationale

(e.g., reward system, rules/expectations, routine, behavior management techniques, positive behavior supports, schedule)

Student #1: Description

Student #2: Description

Student #3: Description

Physical Environment and Rationale

(e.g., seating, floor, wall display, lighting, desk/work area/furniture arrangements, accessibility, teacher-student proximity, grouping)

Student #1: Description

Student #2: Description

Student #3: Description

Teaching Environment

Materials and Rationale

Student #1: Description

Student #2: Description

Student #3: Description

Instruction and/or Instructional Strategies and Rationale

(e.g., objectives, explicit, direct, and differentiated instruction, instructional strategies, format of content, media/technology, homework, directions)

Student #1: Description

Student #2: Description

Student #3: Description

Evaluation and Grading Environment and Rationale

(e.g., formative/summative assessments, timing/scheduling, setting, presentation, response, adapted instructional materials, grading methods)

Student #1: Description

Student #2: Description

Student #3: Description