

Appendix- II

Questionnaire

ICT Aided Constructivist practice indicators in the Science Class

I. As a Teacher Perceived form

Directions: Envision teaching a class in your area of Science. Please indicate the frequency of occurrences of the behaviors mentioned in the each statement given below by marking (√) towards the right side of each statement.

Questionnaire purpose: This questionnaire is about to collect the reflections of the envisioned teacher in the Science classroom. This is not a test; there are no right or wrong answers. Your answers may help for your Science Classes.

Name:

Date:

Very Often =VO, Often =O, Sometimes=SM, Seldom= S, Never= N

| Sr. No. | Statements | VO | O | SM | S | N |
|---------|--|----|---|----|---|---|
| 1 | I encourage students' autonomy in the classroom. | | | | | |
| 2 | I use raw data sources as a interactive materials. | | | | | |
| 3 | When framing tasks, I use cognitive terminology, such as, classify, predict & create. | | | | | |
| 4 | I allow students responses to drive lessons, shift instructional strategies. | | | | | |
| 5 | I inquire about students understandings of the concept before sharing my understandings of those concepts. | | | | | |
| 6 | I encourage students to engage in dialogue with other students. | | | | | |
| 7 | I encourage students' enquiry by asking open-ended questions | | | | | |
| 8 | I seek elaboration of student's initial responses. | | | | | |
| 9 | I engage students in experiences that might create contradictions to their initial ideas. | | | | | |
| 10 | I allow wait time after posing questions. | | | | | |
| 11 | I provide time for students to construct relationships between concepts. | | | | | |
| 12 | I nurture students' natural curiosity through use of the learning resources from internet. | | | | | |
| 13 | I consider students points of view in class when we are discussing about the Science concepts. | | | | | |
| 14 | I always pose questions on emerging issues which are relevant to Science. | | | | | |
| 15 | In class, I build lessons around primary concepts of Science to big ideas | | | | | |
| 16 | I assess students learning in the context of continuous teaching-learning | | | | | |
| 17 | I try to connect the relationship between classroom ideas to the social events. | | | | | |
| 18 | I encourage students to participate in Science activities. | | | | | |
| 19 | I consider students' prior knowledge about any particular concept in Science. | | | | | |

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| 20 | I give opportunities to learn scientific ideas as much as possible | | | | | |
| 21 | I go to student's level of thinking during discussion on Science | | | | | |
| 22 | I post the discussions held in the class in the blogs about Science. | | | | | |
| 23 | I ask the students to give their experiences to any particular concept of Science before discussing. | | | | | |
| 24 | I ask the students not to disturb the class by asking confusing questions | | | | | |
| 25 | I don't give full freedom to students to discuss about Science. | | | | | |
| 26 | I give all support to students to learn concepts of Science | | | | | |
| 27 | I provide waste materials to prepare learning resources. | | | | | |
| 28 | I ask the students to think and analyze critically about any issue in Science. | | | | | |
| 29 | I try to convince the students about importance of Science for the human welfare. | | | | | |
| 30 | I motivate students to work hard and find some new things in Science. | | | | | |
| 31 | I interact with all students in class while discussing concepts of Science. | | | | | |
| 32 | I interact with students through virtual media. | | | | | |
| 33 | I ask the students to interact among themselves in discussing any Science topics through e-mail | | | | | |
| 34 | I value each and every student. | | | | | |
| 35 | I consider individual differences of all students in class. | | | | | |
| 36 | I adopt various activities and methods in Science according to students | | | | | |
| 37 | I respond to students queries immediately. | | | | | |
| 38 | I take feedback from the students after the completion of each session | | | | | |
| 39 | I will not be satisfied by one or two reactions to particular issue from the students. | | | | | |

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| 40 | I provide various situations, where in students can construct meaning better in Science | | | | | |
| 41 | To me Science means working with objects and materials in the classroom and laboratories | | | | | |
| 42 | Science deals with activities that affect living environment. | | | | | |
| 43 | In Science class I try to develop a conversation with students about the topic we are discussing. | | | | | |
| 44 | I believe it is important to present a lot of facts to students so that they know what they have to learn to succeed in the class | | | | | |
| 45 | I believe that the assessment in the class should be an opportunity for students to reveal their changed conceptual understanding of the content | | | | | |
| 46 | I set aside some teaching time so that the students can discuss with each other any difficulties that they encounter in the studying for this course. | | | | | |
| 47 | In this class I concentrate on covering the information that might be available from a text book. | | | | | |
| 48 | I encourage students to restructure their existing knowledge and find new ways to relate the concepts. | | | | | |
| 49 | In teaching sessions for this class, I use challenging examples to generate the debate. | | | | | |
| 50 | I think an important reason for the class sessions is to make sure that students have a good set of notes to use for studying to do well on tests. | | | | | |
| 51 | In this class, I provide opportunities for the students to discuss their changing understanding, views and opinions regarding the class content. | | | | | |
| 52 | In this class, I provide the students with only the information they will need to pass the formal assessments. | | | | | |
| 53 | I believe that I should know the answers to any questions that students ask during class sessions | | | | | |
| 54 | I believe that it is better for students to generate their own notes rather than merely copying mine from PowerPoint or teacher-provided handouts. | | | | | |

II. As a Learner Perceived form

Envision you are a learner of Science. Please indicate the degree of frequency of occurrences of behaviors mentioned in the each statement below by marking (✓) towards the right side of each statement.

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| Sr. No. | Statements | VO | O | SM | S | N |
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| 1 | I prefer that my teacher provides opportunities to understand about Science rather than to read a Science book. | | | | | |
| 2 | I like it when I explain the results of my own experiment. | | | | | |
| 3 | Studying alone, I learn more than by studying in a group | | | | | |
| 4 | In Science classes, I would rather listen to the teacher than to do activities. | | | | | |
| 5 | I like to do experiments, which help me to understand and relate the theory and practice of Science. | | | | | |
| 6 | Taking tests helps me to know that what I have understood about Science concepts. | | | | | |
| 7 | I understand Science concepts better if I have to explain them in my own words | | | | | |
| 8 | I like working in small groups in Science activities | | | | | |
| 9 | I like the Science teacher to decide how we learn Science. | | | | | |
| 10 | I learn more from doing experiments than by listening to the teacher's explanations. | | | | | |
| 11 | I like to find out something without the teacher telling me how to do it through internet | | | | | |
| 12 | One of the best ways for me to understand Science is to discuss in the class | | | | | |
| 13 | I would learn more if I choose the Science topics which I studied. | | | | | |
| 14 | I would rather be tested by teacher than anyone else | | | | | |

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| 15 | I find it difficult to understand the Science without the teacher explanations. | | | | | |
| 16 | I would find out a scientific idea on my own, rather than have it explained by the teacher. | | | | | |
| 17 | While working in small groups, my classmates share that they know with me | | | | | |
| 18 | The best Science classes are those when we do experiments. | | | | | |
| 19 | Solving problems is one of the best ways for me to understand Science. | | | | | |
| 20 | I express my ideas more easily when I am in small groups. | | | | | |
| 21 | The teacher's answers to the questions asked in class by my classmates help me to understand Science. | | | | | |
| 22 | I would rather use computers to learn Science than listening to the teacher always | | | | | |
| 23 | Taking a test is not the only way of finding out if I have understood Science | | | | | |
| 24 | In Science classes, if I don't understand something, then I discuss through blogs | | | | | |
| 25 | I get worried and I leave it, if I cannot solve a problem in Science. | | | | | |
| 26 | I like learning about the latest discoveries and inventions in Science. | | | | | |
| 27 | I do not mind working hard in Science class as long as I learn something. | | | | | |
| 28 | I like to mix different chemicals to find out what happens in the Science lab | | | | | |
| 29 | I like to find out new ideas in Science. | | | | | |
| 30 | I like the teacher to praise my efforts in Science | | | | | |
| 31 | I try to lead in class discussions. | | | | | |
| 32 | I like discuss the scientific ideas through power point presentations | | | | | |
| 33 | I am interested in many scientific ideas that are not taught at the school. | | | | | |

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| 34 | I like it when the teacher gives detailed explanations. | | | | | |
| 35 | I am more interested in the grade I get than in the mistakes I made. | | | | | |
| 36 | I am interested in finding out the answers when solving scientific problems | | | | | |
| 37 | I try hard to please the teacher with my work. | | | | | |
| 38 | I would like to share my new ideas to social groups through social networking | | | | | |
| 39 | When I am working in small group, I do not care with whom I work. | | | | | |
| 40 | I bring new ideas for the discussions in the classroom. | | | | | |
| 41 | I set up own experiments or activities. | | | | | |
| 42 | I try Science experiments more than one time to check their results | | | | | |
| 43 | I discuss the research work that scientists do. | | | | | |
| 44 | I listen to discussions held in TV and radio related to Science. | | | | | |
| 45 | I refer Science articles from the web. | | | | | |
| 46 | I go to library or media centre to find the Science information. | | | | | |
| 47 | I like when visitors come to the class to talk about Science. | | | | | |
| 48 | I listen/watch podcasts and media clips for the Science work in class | | | | | |
| 49 | I like to go to fieldtrips on campus that relate to what we do in Science class | | | | | |
| 50 | I like to go fieldtrips off campus that relates to what we do in Science class | | | | | |
| 51 | If experiments do not appear to work as predicted, we discuss reasons why? | | | | | |
| 52 | I like to attend virtual field trips related to Science | | | | | |
| 53 | I like that the peer group decide what some of the Science lessons are about. | | | | | |
| 54 | I like to work in team when I do experiments. | | | | | |
| 55 | I like to try the activities that I design. | | | | | |

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| 56 | In the class I question in between to the teacher, when I get confused. | | | | | |
| 57 | I like to make predictions. | | | | | |
| 58 | I like to observe when experiment is going on | | | | | |
| 59 | I like to draw the inferences from my observations. | | | | | |
| 60 | I like to share and discuss my inferences and reasons through weblogs | | | | | |
| 61 | I like to write down my own information from a Science experiment. | | | | | |
| 62 | I like to discuss the results from experiments with the team | | | | | |
| 63 | In the classroom What I learn is relevant to my interest | | | | | |
| 64 | In class, I learn to think carefully about my understanding | | | | | |
| 65 | I like continuous evaluation of learning. | | | | | |
| 66 | I test hypothesis through experimentation. | | | | | |
| 67 | I try to control variable while doing lab activities | | | | | |
| 68 | I like the teacher to observe learners when they do activities | | | | | |
| 69 | I discuss the ideas of Science concepts by joining various online groups | | | | | |
| 70 | Watch and discuss Science multimedia presentations | | | | | |
| 71 | Prepare power point presentations on Science concepts | | | | | |
| 72 | I have social networking to discuss the Science issues | | | | | |
| 73 | I like to do concept maps regarding Science concepts | | | | | |
| 74 | I like to create blogs and discuss in blogs | | | | | |
| 75 | I work on internet and present the assignment through power point presentations | | | | | |
| 76 | I use rubrics for self assessment | | | | | |
| 77 | I prepare software for Science projects | | | | | |
| 78 | My new learning starts with problems about the world outside of the class | | | | | |

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| 79 | I learn how Science can be part of my out-of-school life | | | | | |
| 80 | I learn interesting things about the world outside the school. | | | | | |
| 81 | I like when, what I learn has nothing to do with my out-of-school life. | | | | | |
| 82 | I learn that Science cannot give perfect answers to problems. | | | | | |
| 83 | I learn that Science is influenced by people's values and opinions. | | | | | |
| 84 | In the classroom I can express myself like "Why do I have to learn this?" | | | | | |
| 85 | I explain my ideas to other students in the class and virtually | | | | | |
| 86 | I ask the other students explain their ideas through e-mail | | | | | |