

7 Strengths Conferring Checklist

Student Name:

Date:

Strength	Observations	Next Steps
<p>Belonging</p> <p>How are you feeling in this community?</p> <p>How are you welcoming others?</p> <p>How are you finding books that represent you/others?</p>		
<p>Friendship</p> <p>How are you reaching out to someone who needs a reading friend?</p> <p>How are you showing self-care as you read through hard parts?</p> <p>What themes are you finding in books that make you feel more connected to others?</p> <p>What would it take for you to feel really solid and social in this super reader classroom?</p>		
<p>Kindness</p> <p>How are you sharing well-being with others?</p> <p>How are you finding themes of care in books you are reading?</p> <p>How are you showing self-kindness when you are struggling?</p>		
<p>Curiosity</p> <p>How are you asking questions about what you are reading?</p> <p>How are you using questions to further your reading?</p> <p>How are you asking questions as you decode? Do your phonics strategies work well for you? What other strategies are you using?</p> <p>How are you finding out about new words?</p>		

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<p>Confidence</p> <p>How are you growing in your phonics skills? How are you learning to tackle hard words? How are you becoming more confident in talking about theme and ideas in books? How are you working on sharing your ideas confidently with others? How are you reaching out to others to help? How are you building stamina as a reader?</p>		
<p>Courage</p> <p>How are you tackling the tough parts of reading? How are you showing courage as a super reader to try something new? How are you having the courage to share your ideas about what we are reading? How are you trying something new as a reader? How are you imagining yourself as a world changer based on what you are reading?</p>		
<p>Hope</p> <p>How are you setting goals for yourself as a super reader? How can I help you achieve those goals?</p> <p>How are you thinking big and dreaming big to accomplish big successes in your reading today, this month, this year? How are you reading in a way that makes you feel so strong that you could change the world? How can I help you do that?</p>		