Language and Nonverbal Communication Assessment

Child's Name_____ **Date** _____

Comments/Examples

Fluency: Overall word count

☐ < 5 words   ☐ <10 words
☐ <50 words   ☐ <100 words   ☐ >100 words

Character development

☐ Pronouns for character(s)
☐ Provides information about role/name of character(s)
☐ More than one characteristic of character(s) (e.g., name, role etc.)

Ways of connecting events/ideas to theme

☐ One event/idea
☐ Lists events/ideas with no causal relationship and/or loose /unclear connections
☐ Events/ideas connected to each other and theme through causal relationships and conjunctions

Monitoring meaning if there is confusion/missing information

☐ Doesn't attempt to correct   ☐ Attempts to correct
☐ Nothing to correct

Enhance meaning multimodally

☐ Gestures   ☐ Intonation/sound effects   ☐ Hooks/Expressions

Vocabulary

☐ General words only   ☐ 1–3 different specific words
☐ 4+ different specific words

Grammar

☐ Confuses/omits some subject/object pronouns ☐ Correct Usage ☐ N/A

☐ Uses *this/these* or gender/plural pronouns in reference to object/person incorrectly ☐ Correct usage ☐ N/A

☐ Uses verb tense incorrectly ☐ Correct usage ☐ N/A