

*The Mississippi Early Learning SEL Standards
for Classrooms Serving Grades 3-5 Children:*
**Observational and Performance-Based Checklist**

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| School Name |       | School Year |       |

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| **College and Career Readiness Standards**  |  **Self-Awareness (SA)** |
| Code 1 = Needs Development | Code 2 = Making Progress | Code 3 = Developing as Expected | Code 4 = Advanced Development |
| **1A. Identify emotions and related feelings in one’s self** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
| Fall | Winter | Spring |
| **SE.SA.3-5.1A.4**  | Identify range of emotions experienced. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SA.3-5.1A.5**  | Describe situations that cause range of emotions. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SA.3-5.1A.6** | Identify physical responses to intense emotions. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SA.3-5.1A.7** | Communicate emotions through appropriate means (i.e., appropriate words, gestures, tone, facial expressions, etc.). Describe how emotions impact behavior. |  |  |  |

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| **1B. Develop an accurate perception of one’s self (i.e., beliefs, values, skills, talents, and interests)** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
| Fall | Winter | Spring |
| **SE.SA.3-5.1B.4** | Identify personal qualities and characteristics one possesses. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SA.3-5.1B.5**  | Describe benefits of personal qualities and characteristics. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SA.3-5.1B.6**  | Describe how personal qualities and interests impact decision-making. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SA.3-5.1B.7**  | Compare and contrast qualities and interests of self. |  |  |  |

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| **1C. Determine one’s strengths and areas for growth** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
| Fall | Winter | Spring |
| **SE.SA.3-5.1C.4** | Identify strengths and areas for growth. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SA.3-5.1C.5**  | Describe personal skills in need of further development. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SA.3-5.1C.6**  | Describe how personal strengths impact choices. |  |  |  |
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| **1D. Develop personal responsibilities and a feeling of one’s abilities, qualities, and judgment** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
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| **SE.SA.3-5.1D.5**  | Define personal responsibility and identify ways to exhibit it in daily life. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SA.3-5.1D.6** | Identify how personal choices affect self and others. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SA.3-5.1D.7**  | Describe benefits of personal responsibility. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SA.3-5.1D.8**  | Demonstrate responsible behaviors. |  |  |  |

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| College and Career Readiness Standards  |  **Self-Management (SM)** |
| Code 1 = Needs Development | Code 2 = Making Progress | Code 3 = Developing as Expected | Code 4 = Advanced Development |
| **2A. Develop skills necessary to control impulses and appropriately manage thoughts, stress, emotions, and behaviors in school, home, and community life** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
| Fall | Winter | Spring |
| **SE.SM.3-5.2A.5**  | Identify the relationship between thoughts, stress, emotions (i.e., feelings) and behavior. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SM.3-5.2A.6**  | Identify situations that cause self to experience negative emotions (e.g., sadness, anger, anxiety, disappointment, etc.). |  |  |  |
| **SE.SM.3-5.2A.7**  | Demonstrate ability to appropriately express emotions. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SM.3-5.2A.8**  | Develop strategies to use when angry or stressed (e.g., walk away, counting to 10, seek help, etc.). |  |  |  |
| **SE.SM.3-5.2A.9**  | Identify strategies for controlling impulses and demonstrate the utilization of at least one (e.g., deep breathing, self-talk, seek help, etc.). |  |  |  |

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| **2B. Identify and utilize skills needed in organization and self-motivation** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
| Fall | Winter | Spring |
| **SE.SM.3-5.2B.5** | Demonstrate the ability to stay on task with limited distractions. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SM.3-5.2B.6** | Develop willingness to attempt new tasks and share ideas with others. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SM.3-5.2B.7** |  Identify strategies for persevering through difficult situations or tasks. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SM.3-5.2B.8** | Determine supports needed to organize aspects of home and school life. |  |  |  |

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| **2C. Demonstrate ability to set and accomplish specific tasks and goals** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
| Fall | Winter | Spring |
| **SE.SM.3-5.2C.4** | Describe steps necessary for setting and achieving tasks and goals. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SM.3-5.2C.5**  | Differentiate between short- and long-term goals. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SM.3-5.2C.6**  | Complete short- or long-term goal with minimal assistance. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SM.3-5.2C.7** | Monitor progress toward achieving personal or academic goals. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SM.3-5.2C.8**  | Determine home and school supports or resources needed to complete tasks or goals. |  |  |  |

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| College and Career Readiness Standards  |  **Social Awareness (SO)** |
| Code 1 = Needs Development | Code 2 = Making Progress | Code 3 = Developing as Expected | Code 4 = Advanced Development |
| **3A. Demonstrate an understanding of others’ emotions and perspectives, including social cues** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
| Fall | Winter | Spring |
| **SE.SO.3-5.3A.6** | Recognize the emotions of others using verbal and visual cues. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SO.3-5.3A.7**  | Recognize non-verbal social cues from others and their impact on emotions. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SO.3-5.3A.8**  | Identify how one’s own behavior impacts others’ emotions. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SO.3-5.3A.9**  | Identify multiple perspectives or viewpoints in different situations. |  |  |  |

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| **3B. Develop an awareness of and respect for individual differences, including cultural diversity** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
| Fall | Winter | Spring |
| **SE.SO.3-5.3B.5**  | Recognize the existence of various groups based on social and cultural factors (e.g., race, gender, age, religion, disability, etc.) |  |  |  |
| **SE.SO.3-5.3B.6**  | Identify similarities between various social and cultural groups. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SO.3-5.3B.7**  | Develop strategies for building relationships with individuals who are different from self. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SO.3-5.3B.8**  | Explain the definition of stereotyping, prejudice, and discrimination. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SO.3-5.3B.9**  | Identify bullying behaviors and their impact on others. |  |  |  |

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| **3C. Identify and develop an understanding of societal norms for the well-being of school, home, and community** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
| Fall | Winter | Spring |
| **SE.SO.3-5.3C.5**  | Identify different social norms in the school and community. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SO.3-5.3C.6**  | Recognize ways to help peers complete tasks, goals, or address needs. |  |  |  |
| **SE.SO.3-5.3C.7**  | Identify how helping behaviors impact self and others. |  |  |  |

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| College and Career Readiness Standards  | **Relationship Skills (RS)** |
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| **4A. Demonstrate the ability to effectively communicate, utilize social skills, and support others** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
| Fall | Winter | Spring |
| **SE.RS.3-5.4A.5** | Utilize appropriate verbal and nonverbal communication with others (e.g., words, tone, facial expressions, gestures, etc.). |  |  |  |
| **SE.RS.3-5.4A.6**  | Determine cooperative group behaviors (e.g., listening, encouraging, acknowledging others’ perspectives, compromising, and reaching agreement). |  |  |  |
| **SE.RS.3-5.4A.7**  | Identify ways to encourage and support others and their contributions. |  |  |  |
| **SE.RS.3-5.4A.8**  | Demonstrate good sportsmanship by playing fairly and being gracious in winning and losing. |  |  |  |
| **SE.RS.3-5.4A.9**  | Demonstrate ability to give and receive compliments appropriately. |  |  |  |

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| **4B. Develop and maintain positive relationships with others** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
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| **SE.RS.3-5.4B.6**  | Determine and demonstrate qualities of good friends. |  |  |  |
| **SE.RS.3-5.4B.7**  | Describe and utilize more than one strategy to build positive relationships with peers, family, and others. |  |  |  |
| **SE.RS.3-5.4B.8**  | Differentiate among safe and unsafe behaviors in relationships with others. |  |  |  |
| **SE.RS.3-5.4B.9**  | Identify the six types of peer pressure (e.g., spoken, unspoken, direct, indirect, negative and positive). |  |  |  |
| **SE.RS.3-5.4B.10**  | Develop strategies for resisting negative peer pressure. |  |  |  |

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| **4C. Demonstrate the ability to successfully manage and resolve conflict in relationships** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
| Fall | Winter | Spring |
| **SE.RS.3-5.4C.5**  | Recognize that conflict occurs as a natural part of life. |  |  |  |
| **SE.RS.3-5.4C.6**  | Identify causes and effects of conflict and how one’s response impacts self and others. |  |  |  |
| **SE.RS.3-5.4C.7**  | Utilize steps of a simple conflict resolution/problem solving process such as identifying problems, active listening, expressing emotions, brainstorming solutions, evaluating solutions, etc. |  |  |  |
| **SE.RS.3-5.4C.8**  | Describe proactive ways to prevent conflict. |  |  |  |
| **SE.RS.3-5.4C.9**  | Recognizes the difference between constructive and destructive ways of handling conflict and peer pressure. |  |  |  |

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| College and Career Readiness Standards  | **Responsible Decision-Making (RD)** |
| Code 1 = Needs Development | Code 2 = Making Progress | Code 3 = Developing as Expected | Code 4 = Advanced Development |
| **5A. Develop, implement, and model effective choice-making skills at school, at home, and in the community** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
| Fall | Winter | Spring |
| SE.RD.3-5.5A.5 | Describe steps of decision-making process and utilize more than one. |  |  |  |
| SE.RD.3-5.5A.6  | Identify choices or solutions to various situations at home, school, or in community and demonstrate ability to make appropriate selections. |  |  |  |
| SE.RD.3-5.5A.7  | Develop criteria for evaluating decisions and consequences for self and others. |  |  |  |

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| **5B. Analyze outcomes of decisions including the consideration of their effects on others** | **OBSERVATIONS** |
| Fall | Winter | Spring |
| **SE.RD.3-5.5B.5**  | Identify examples of ethical behaviors (e.g., fairness, honesty, respect, etc.) in decision making and demonstrate more than one. |  |  |  |
| **SE.RD.3-5.5B.6**  | Demonstrate knowledge of social norms and how they affect decision making. |  |  |  |
| **SE.RD.3-5.5B.7**  | Explain why safety and ethical considerations are important in making decisions. |  |  |  |
| **SE.RD.3-5.5B.8**  | Evaluate impact of past and present choices and decisions on self and others. |  |  |  |