EXECUTIVE SKILL	POSITIVE EXAMPLE	NEGATIVE EXAMPLE
RESPONSE INHIBITION		
WORKING MEMORY		
EMOTIONAL CONTROL		
FLEXIBILITY		
SUSTAINED ATTENTION		
TASK INITIATION		
PLANNING/PRIORITIZING		
ORGANIZATION		
TIME MANAGEMENT		
GOAL-DIRECTED PERSISTENCE		
METACOGNITION		

EXECUTIVE SKILLS BEHAVIORAL DESCRIPTORS

- 1. Brings gym clothes on days student has gym class.
- 2. Homework and worksheets may be placed in any number of notebooks, books, or folders.
- 3. Sharpens pencil, chats with classmates or takes long bathroom breaks before getting down to work on in-class math assignment.
- 4. Able to do classroom presentations despite fear of public speaking.
- 5. Wants to make the 1st string soccer team but can't bring himself to practice ball handling skills.
- 6. Figures out the steps to follow to get a summer job.
- 7. Decides to improve math grade and increases study time for tests and guizzes.
- 8. Out of seat frequently during independent work time.
- 9. Takes notes in lecture classes and asks relevant questions.
- 10. Builds in extra time to complete a given task knowing there could be an interruption.
- 11. Struggles with creative writing assignment because can't think of anything to write about.
- 12. Does work carefully and checks answers before handing in test/assignment.
- 13. Writes down homework but doesn't think to check assignment book when gets home.
- 14. Chronically late for school.
- 15. Finishes an entire homework assignment before taking a break.
- 16. Shuts down when criticized by teacher
- 17. Student places documents in appropriately labeled folders on her computer.
- 18. Frequently makes faulty assumptions about assignment directions and doesn't check with teacher before starting the assignment.
- 19. Friend bails on afterschool activity; student adjusts with back-up plan.
- 20. Says rude or hurtful things to kids.
- 21. Starts homework without prompting from adult.
- 22. Given 4 homework assignments on a given night, can't figure out what to do first.