

Shared Discussion Observation Table

Observations	Student Names				
Literary analysis					
Makes inferences about story and characters					
Finds evidence in book to support answers					
Retells or explains the story to help discussion					
Makes personal connections with story or to peers' interpretations					
Contributions to group work					
Keeps the conversation moving by responding to peers' comments					
Disagrees with peers in a polite way					
Listens to others while they are speaking					
Waits for questioner to call on them before speaking					
Follows class guidelines for conversations					
General notes and observations					