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EDTL 601 Unit 4 Assignment 1

Critical Evaluation of a Site Form

Part I Classroom and Tools

1. How is the computer in your classroom connected to the Internet?

Phone line (Dial-in access)

Cable cord (Direct connection)

2. What is the speed of your connection? _____

3. What web browser are you using in classroom? _____

4. Which one do you have in your classroom?

Projector

Interactive Whiteboard

Stereo and Speaker

Laser pointer

5. How many students can be in the classroom? _____

Part II Site's Information

1. What is the URL of web site that is being evaluated?

http:// _____

2. What is the name of the site? _____

3. What contents would you like to get from the site?

4. How do you know about the site?

___ Search engine, search for _____

___ Web guide book, name of book _____

___ Educator another _____

___ Other, please note _____

Part III Teachers and Students

1. Could you change display setting? (Yes / No)

2. Have you ever used the site before? (Yes / No)

If so, how long have you used it? _____

3. Have you compared to range of information resources available on the topic? (Yes / No)

4. Have you gotten a printed version of the information? (Yes / No)

5. What level are the students? _____

6. How many students are in the class? _____

7. Do students conveniently open the site outside? (Yes / No)

Part IV Site's Structure

1. Does the title of the site tell you what it is about? (Yes / No)

2. Is there an introduction on the page that tells you what is included? (Yes / No)

3. Does the site take a long time to load? (Yes / No)

4. Is the format standard and readable with your browser? (Yes / No)

5. Is there a picture or sound included? (Yes / No)

If so, does the picture or sound serve a function or are they decorative?

6. Does the site follow good graphic design principles? (Yes / No)

7. Do the icons clearly represent what is intended? (Yes / No)

Part V Site's Sources and Contents

1. Who is the author or producer? _____
2. When was the site produced? _____
3. When was the site revised last time? _____
4. Is contact information for the author or producer included in the site? (Yes / No)
5. What is the expertise of the individual or group that created this site?

6. Is the spelling correct on the page? (Yes / No)
7. Does the site lead you to some other good information (link)? (Yes / No)
8. Does the author of the site say some things you disagree with? (Yes / No)
9. Does the author of the site include information that you know is wrong? (Yes / No)

Part VI Summary

1. Are you satisfied that the information is useful for your purpose? (Yes / No)
If not, what can you do next?

2. Looking at all of the questions and answers above, write some things telling why this site is helpful (or not helpful) for your project.

