Direct Observation Assessment for 8 day Silent Retreat by Spiritual Director

Name of Spiritual Director completing this form:

Name of retreatant (and Banner ID if known):

Year of retreatant in college (ex. Freshman, sophomore, etc.):

Gender of participant:

	Needs Development	Developing	Competent (GOAL)	Exemplary
Student can express the positive effect that spiritual direction has had on their faith formation	Related poorly to spiritual director. Did not participate much in conversation. Unengaged.	Students still sees spiritual journey as his/her own process. May enjoy speaking with director but has not grasped the effect that spiritual direction has on faith formation.	Student has expressed insights gained from spiritual direction. Has expressed that he/she wishes to continue this in the future in some way.	Student follows up with Ignatian Spirituality Institute for further spiritual direction or chooses to take further action after the retreat.
Evidence:				
Student reflected on what it means to have a God- centered life	Student seemed distracted and was not focused on God.	Student began to hint at what a God-centered life might look and feel like for him/her.	Student had faith- based conversations with his/her spiritual director and sees God's hand in his/her struggles, joys, concerns, hopes, etc.	Student understands the need to surrender one's life and will to God.
Evidence				

Student cultivated a habit of reflection through exploring life's 'big questions' in relation to Christ and the world	Student was disengaged. Or student could not give voice to the big questions.	While student could give voice to a few big questions they could not relate it to prayer, reflection and the life of Christ.	Student was able to sort out what was most important in his/her life and relate it to Christ. Sees value in reflection.	Student is interested in continuing spiritual direction and exploration of the big questions. Has clearly developed a habit of reflection.
Evidence: Student understood creation, sin and forgiveness, life, passion, death and resurrection of Christ, and calling and ministry as laid out in the Spiritual Exercises. Evidence:	Student did not engage with the Spiritual Exercises.	Student understood a few of the weeks, but did not grasp the whole.	Student embraced the Spiritual Exercises as her/her own journey. He/she can articulate the dimensions of each week.	Student clearly lives his/her life in accordance with the Exercises by praying the Examen daily. They are a basis for daily life and future reflection.