### Special Education: Lesson Plan Explanation – Explicit Instruction Model

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<th>Lesson Steps Must Include The Following</th>
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| **Advance Organizer**                  | Lesson plan provides a script for how you will:  
State the objectives of the lesson  
Link lesson objectives to prior knowledge  
Inform students of the relevance of the lesson  
Communicate your expectations for behavior  
Opportunity for student input |
| **Description of the Lesson**          | Lesson plan provides a step-by-step description of the lesson.  
Step-by-step description must include: |
| **Modeling**                           | Provide examples of how you will model the skill you are trying to teach. |
| **Guided Practice**                    | Students should have the opportunity to practice the skill with your assistance.  
Provide examples of how you will provide guided practice. |
| **Independent Practice**               | Students should have the opportunity to practice the skill on their own. Describe what the independent practice will look like. |
| **Post-organizers**                    | Lesson plan provides a script for how you will:  
Review of the lesson  
Highlight important concepts, ideas  
Link lesson to future learning  
Provide opportunities for student input  
Evaluate student mastery  
Provide extension activities |
| **Evaluation**                         | A description of how you will determine that a student has mastered the objective |
| **Extension and/or maintenance**       | How you will extend the activity for students who need extra time to master the objective or for students who mastered the objective quickly. |