Teacher's Checklist for Compare and Contrast

Name	Date	_
Title	Author	
What students compared and contrasted:		

Comparing

- _____ Talks with a partner to discuss likenesses.
- _____ Uses specific text details to show how two characters, settings, or other pairs of literary elements are alike.
- _____ Makes inferences to show how two characters, settings, or other pairs of literary elements are alike.
- _____ Uses comparing to deepen his or her understanding of a conflict, a character's decisions, and/or a character's personality traits.

Contrasting

- ____ Talks to a partner to discuss differences.
- _____ Uses specific text details to show how two characters, settings, or other pairs of literary elements differ.
- ____ Makes inferences to show how two characters, settings, or other pairs of literary elements differ.
- Uses contrasting to deepen his or her understanding of a conflict, a character's decisions, and/or a character's personality traits.

Additional Observations and Comments

Schedule a 5-minute conference if necessary on _____

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