Self-Portrait Performance Rubric

LEVEL	NAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
0	No Participation	Child declines to participate in the activity.
1	Scribbles and Drawing Marks	 Child watches others or makes use of paper and pencil for some other purpose. Child makes marks on the page, but with no recognizable representation or naming of a person.
2	First Representation of a Person: Stick Figure	 Child draws rudimentary human figure: head with eyes, circle atop two sticks, tadpole-like form. Child might indicate marks representing others in a setting (e.g., pointing to a circle saying, "This is my bed.")
3	Simple Human Figures	 Child draws rudimentary human figure: head with eyes, circle atop two sticks, tadpole-like form. People depicted are engaged in an activity, or in the company of other people. There is some indication or mention of a setting.
4	Human Figures in a Recognizable Setting	 Child draws self and other figures with one or two of the following: Separate parts for head and body Facial features (eyes, nose, mouth) Hands and/or feet Hair and/or clothing Setting is recognizable as a room, playground, or classroom.
5	Detailed Drawing of People with Detailed Setting	 The drawing has considerable detail in people and setting. Child draws human figure with three or more of the following: Separate parts for head and body Facial features (at least both mouth and eyes) Hands and/or feet Hair and/or clothing People are portrayed alongside other objects that represent the setting: near a TV, a bike, kitchen table.
6	Detailed Drawing of People in a Recognizable Setting while using Artistic Elements	 Child uses one or two of the following artistic elements (elements must be present in both the figure and the setting): Shading (makes objects look 3D or show light source effect on how objects appear) Perspective (shows that objects are behind others or farther away; tries to show depth) Line quality (uses thick/thin, hard/soft, straight/wavy, etc., to indicate mood) Repeated design elements (unifies picture with border; repeats line/texture pattern) Proportions of figure(s) to setting or objects are realistic.

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