Sample Learning Plan

Big Idea/Topic
“Closing Routine with Exit Slip Activity”

Standard Alignment
Health Standard 5: Students will demonstrate the ability to use decision-making skills to enhance health.

Instructional Design

Define Simply
Introduce students to the closing routine by teaching simple steps. An “exit ticket” is a closing assignment that helps the teacher assess what students learned for the day. It can be as simple as having students rate how well they understood the lesson on a scale of 1-5. If teachers notice more than a few 1-3, it may be a signal to revisit some of the information taught on the following day. You can also do an open-ended question (e.g., what was one thing your learned today?), or have students come up with an open-ended question for the next morning’s “Do Now” activity. Just like we open the day with a teacher greeting, it is beneficial to close the day with the same process. The goal is to make sure each student feels seen, heard, and valued before leaving each day. Using a student’s name as you say goodbye and collect their exit ticket can be a simple routine for the last 3 minutes of class that will set you up for success the next day.

Steps:
1. Clean up your materials
2. Pack up your backpack
3. Complete your “Exit Ticket”

Model/Demonstrate with Examples
Model an example for students going through each step of the process.

Practice in All Relevant Settings
Practice the closing routine daily.

Monitor & Provide Positive Feedback and Reinforcement
Monitor students’ progress and offer group specific praise after the closing routine is complete. For example, “Thank you class for getting started on your “Exit Ticket” quickly and quietly. I look forward to reading your answers.”

Based on Data, Adjust Instruction & Reteach
Teachers should monitor how well the class is learning the closing routine and increase practice whenever necessary.

Evidence of Student Success
- Student success will be demonstrated by students completing every step of the closing routine without prompts or reminders.

**Distance Learning Supports**

- This concept can be utilized in an online class with a virtual “Exit Ticket” posted on the screen; students may respond to the teacher individually, in the chat box, or using a google form.

**Engaging Families**

- Share “Exit Ticket” idea with families to help foster communication and feedback in the home.