



Talented and Gifted Parent Referral Form

Child's Name _____ School/Grade _____ DOB _____

Home Address _____ Phone _____

Please check the following items which most closely apply to your child.

1. ____ Learns new information at an accelerated rate.
2. ____ Exhibits a variety of learning strategies and is able to adapt the learning approaches appropriately.
3. ____ Is unusually adept at connecting new learning to previously learned material, to make it meaningful.
4. ____ Exhibits exceptional ability in detecting relationships, similarities, and differences.
5. ____ Is able to process information quickly.
6. ____ Demonstrates a wide range of vocabulary usage, is more precise in the use of words, and uses complex sentence structure.
7. ____ Asks questions, which are unusual, insightful, and/or show a relationship to other experiences.
8. ____ Uses appropriate and original examples and/or is able to make unusual analogies to illustrate a point.
9. ____ Demonstrates a high level of understanding through concise or elaborate wording or products; is able to translate verbal information into visual representations (charts, graphs, illustrations.)
10. ____ Exhibits special skills unusual for age.
11. ____ Exhibits innovative use of common materials by adapting or combining them in a new or unusual way.
12. ____ Has collections or hobbies that are unusual or are organized in a sophisticated or original manner.
13. ____ Has the ability to devise or adapt a systematic strategy for solving problems. Is able to change or adapt the problem solving strategy in some way if the original approach is not working.