

Parent Questionnaire - Kindergarten

Child's name: _____ Parent(s) Name(s) _____

Birthdate: _____ School child attends: _____ Date: _____

Directions: Please complete the following checklist by putting an "X" under the letter which best represents the way you view your child.

- A—DOES NOT DISPLAY THIS BEHAVIOR REGULARLY**
B—DISPLAYS THIS BEHAVIOR LIKE OTHER CHILDREN OF THE SAME AGE
C—DISPLAYS THIS BEHAVIOR ON AN ADVANCED LEVEL OR MORE OFTEN THAN CHILDREN OF THE SAME AGE

	Characteristic	A	B	C
1	Likes to be read to; shows interest in learning to read			
2	Reads words and sentences independently (self-taught)			
3	Asks "why" frequently			
4	Figures out how things work			
5	Has a larger than usual vocabulary for age; uses 3-4 syllable words			
6	Expresses ideas easily; constructs well designed sentences			
7	Has long attention span on topics/activities he/she chooses			
8	Has a quick, sharp memory			
9	Learns new material quickly			
10	Makes up jokes; has an advanced sense of humor			
11	Follows directions when more than one is given at a time			
12	Computes answers in his/her head			
13	Tries to find rules and reasons for why things happen			
14	Finds more than one use for an object			
15	Watches television documentaries as well as child-centered programs			
16	Understands and makes up analogies (example: hat is to head as glove is to hand)			
17	Sticks to a task until it is completed			
18	Can carry on a meaningful conversation about "adult" topics that he/she thinks others would want to know about			
19	Displays a passion for a topic for a long time; becomes an expert in that topic			
20	Predicts patterns in pictures; reasons and thinks logically			

