

**Questionnaire to assess Readiness for School
Preparatory Year 2019**

Student's surname		Date of birth	
Student's first name		Chronological age	
Name of parent		School year level	

Does/Is/Will the child.....

Interest in learning

Circle

• Try new things?	Yes	No
• Initiate own learning? (e.g.asks questions)	Yes	No
• Show interest in active investigations?	Yes	No
• Show interest in books?	Yes	No

Oral Language (expressive language/vocabulary)

• Have a limited vocabulary?	Yes	No
• Use immature speech/experience difficulty with grammatical structures? (e.g. use of tense, plurals, pronouns)	Yes	No
• Recite nursery rhymes or songs?	Yes	No
• Speak in sentences	Yes	No
• Understood by most adults?	Yes	No

Receptive Language (following directions/comprehension)

• Understand what is said?	Yes	No
• Follow verbal instructions?	Yes	No
• Remember facts or personal information?	Yes	No

Attention to and engagement with tasks.

• Attention span	Yes	No
• Able to listen effectively?	Yes	No
• Appear to be physically restless?	Yes	No
• Get distracted easily by noises?	Yes	No
• Usually complete tasks or activities	Yes	No

Concept Development

• Identifying colours and shapes?	Yes	No
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Capacity to solve problems

• Interested in 'pretend' play?	Yes	No
• Interested in using objects and toys in imaginative play?	Yes	No
• Tend to have another try once encountering difficulties?	Yes	No
• Often seek adult assistance and reassurance	Yes	No
• Willing to "have a go" in new situations	Yes	No

Reasoning and Hypothesizing

• Predicting outcomes – answering questions such as why/how/what do you think will happen if?	Yes	No
• Appreciate the consequences of their own actions and the actions of others?	Yes	No
• Able to argue a point of view?	Yes	No

Social Awareness and Connections

• Prefer to play with other children?	Yes	No
• Will initiate play with children of their own age group?	Yes	No
• Appear too easily led by others?	Yes	No
• Need support to play cooperatively with other children	Yes	No

Emotional Capacity

• Seek adults to sort out small upsets with other children?	Yes	No
• Cry easily instead of dealing with a social problem?	Yes	No
• Confident?	Yes	No
• Accept limits set by an adult	Yes	No

Independence

• Worry about separating from parents?	Yes	No
• Keep very close to an adult on family outings?	Yes	No
• Have difficulty dressing/undressing?	Yes	No
• Need assistance with toileting?	Yes	No

Fine Motor Skills

• Appear interested in drawing/writing/using scissors?	Yes	No
• Swap hands or change grip when drawing?	Yes	No
• Able to use scissors?	Yes	No
• Like doing puzzles	Yes	No
• Attempt to write own name	Yes	No
• Draw recognizable pictures	Yes	No

Gross Motor Skills

• Appear physically clumsy or accident prone?	Yes	No
• Have difficulty balancing/hopping/running/with ball skills?	Yes	No
• Look awkward when running?	Yes	No
• Avoid participating in physical activities?	Yes	No
• Demonstrate fear of heights or fear of playground equipment?	Yes	No

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