

Parent Interview

Dear Family Member,

The purpose of this form is to gather information from parents/guardians on your observations about your child and other issues that may affect your child's school performance. The information you provided must be included as part of the assessment for your child. Your ideas and concerns are important to the assessment process and will be summarized in the Evaluation Report (ER).

Student Name _____ Grade _____

School _____ Date _____

Parents _____

Form Completed By _____

1. Has anyone in your immediate or extended family had academic or educational problems?
 Yes No If yes, please explain:
2. What are your child's current school problems? When did you first notice them?
3. Do you feel your child's school problem(s) is (are) the result of a cultural or other misunderstanding?
 Yes No If yes, please explain:
4. What have you tried at home to help your child such as reading aloud, sitting with your child at homework time, etc.?
5. Has repeating a grade ever been considered for your child?
 Yes No If yes, please explain:

6. Share the strengths and special abilities of your child.

7. Describe the way you've seen your child learn best. Give an example.

8. Describe something your child has learned easily in the last three months.

9. Describe something your child had difficulty learning in the last three months.

10. How many days a week does your child *have* homework? _____
How many days a week does your child *do* homework? _____
How long does your child spend on homework each day? _____
Does your child complete homework independently or does your child need your
assistance? _____