



Palestine Independent School District

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Parent Nomination Survey Gifted and Talented Program

Student _____ Grade _____ Campus _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____ Teacher _____

Address _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

All Students

The Gifted/Talented Program serves identified and potentially gifted students. Nominations are accepted from parents, teachers, administrators, and counselors. Parent permission will be required for screening, testing, and consideration for placement.

Transfer Students

Transfer students must present verifiable evidence of Gifted/Talented program participation, and they must meet the PISD identification criteria.

Student Eligibility

Multiple criteria requirements include qualifying scores on the following: intellectual ability tests, achievement tests, creative thinking tests, behavior checklists, and productive thinking activities.

Gifted Characteristics

- Is intellectually curious, innovative, and playful with ideas
- Enjoys the challenge and involvement of intellectual and creative tasks
- Consistently exhibits task commitment
- Is an independent thinker and seeks to act independently
- Reads and comprehends with advanced understanding
- Reads widely and intensively in areas of special interest
- Acquires basic skills rapidly and with a minimum of practice
- Comprehends advance ideas, concepts, and implication
- Is impatient with detail and drill which may result in gaps in basis skill for some
- Resists requirement of unnecessary details in the completion of tasks

Parent Permission

Please consider the criteria and characteristics above before nominating your child for the program. Check the appropriate line(s) below, sign, and return to the campus principal or counselor by September 18, 2015; no late forms will be accepted.

_____ I grant my permission for my child to be tested and screened for the Gifted and Talented Program.

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature