

Independent School Common Student Evaluation Form For Children Applying to Pre-Kindergarten or Kindergarten

Cold Spring School (PK/K) * Hamden Hall Country Day School (PK/K) * St. Thomas's Day School (K) * The Foote School (K)

To the Teacher: This form is used by the schools listed above. We appreciate your cooperation in completing this form. The information provides one way of getting to know the child and is reviewed with the understanding that the child is constantly changing and developing. We particularly value your observations of classroom behavior and your descriptive comments. This evaluation will be kept in strict confidence and used solely to help inform a thoughtful admission decision. Please be assured that all information will remain confidential and will not be kept as part of the student's permanent record. Thank you for your assistance.

Name of Applicant _____

Current School _____ Current Grade _____

Days per week enrolled _____ Hours per day _____ Size of group _____ Age range _____

I have known this child _____ years _____ months and my relationship has been that of _____

Social/Emotional Development	Area of Concern	Needs Development	Age Appropriate	Exceeds Age Expectations	Comments
Cooperates in play	1	2	3	4	
Becomes engaged with peers	1	2	3	4	
Is comfortable with adults	1	2	3	4	
Shows ability to lead	1	2	3	4	
Shows ability to follow	1	2	3	4	
Exhibits curiosity	1	2	3	4	
Shows confidence	1	2	3	4	
Separates from parent	1	2	3	4	
Plays alone happily	1	2	3	4	
Exhibits self control	1	2	3	4	
Tolerates frustration	1	2	3	4	

Physical Development	Area of Concern	Needs Development	Age Appropriate	Exceeds Age Expectations	Comments
Fine motor control	1	2	3	4	
Gross motor control	1	2	3	4	
Speech development	1	2	3	4	

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Skill Development	Area of Concern	Needs Development	Age Appropriate	Exceeds Age Expectations	Comments
Listens in a group	1	2	3	4	
Follows directions	1	2	3	4	
Is a self-starter	1	2	3	4	
Can focus on one task	1	2	3	4	
Completes task	1	2	3	4	
Accepts limits/routines	1	2	3	4	
Makes transitions easily	1	2	3	4	
Expresses ideas well	1	2	3	4	
Enjoys listening to stories	1	2	3	4	
Contributes to group discussions	1	2	3	4	
Exhibits problem solving abilities	1	2	3	4	
Enjoys new challenges	1	2	3	4	

Please comment on each of the following regarding this child:

Favorite activities: _____

What adjectives come to mind when you think of this applicant? _____

Parent cooperation and involvement with the school: _____

To your knowledge, is the parents' perception of the child compatible with the school's understanding of the child?

Teacher Contact Information

Name (Please print) _____ Position _____

School Name _____ Telephone _____ Email _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Please check here if you wish to further discuss this candidate by telephone: _____

Best time to call: _____ Please return a copy directly to the requesting school. Thank you!