

Highly Capable Parent Survey

Cosmopolis School District

Parent Nomination for the Highly Capable Program

Name: _____ Date: _____

Teacher: _____ Grade: _____ Birthdate: _____

What special talents or skills does your child have? _____

Give examples of behavior that illustrates this. _____

B. Check the following items that best describe your child as you see him/her.

	Little	Some	A Great Deal
▪ Advanced vocabulary for chronological age.	_____	_____	_____
▪ Outstanding memory; possesses lots of information.	_____	_____	_____
▪ Curious; asks endless questions (why?, "and then what?").	_____	_____	_____
▪ Has many interests, hobbies and collections.	_____	_____	_____
▪ May have a "passionate interest" that has lasted for many years.	_____	_____	_____
▪ Intense; gets totally absorbed in activities and thoughts .	_____	_____	_____

Little Some A Great Deal

- Sensitive to beauty and other people’s feelings and emotions.

- Advanced sense of justice and fairness.

- Aware of global issues many age peers are uninterested in.

- Sophisticated sense of humor, may be “class clown”.

- Strongly motivated to do things that interest him/her; may be unwilling to work on other activities.

- May be reluctant to move on from one subject to another.

- Operates on high levels of thinking Than his/her peers; is comfortable with abstract thinking.

- Perceives subtle cause-and-effect relationships.

- Prefers complex and challenging tasks to “basic” work.

- May be able to “track” two or more things simultaneously.

- Catches on quickly, then resists doing work, or works in a sloppy, careless manner.

- Comes up with better ways for doing things:

- Suggests them to peers, teachers, and other adults.

