

West Valley School District - Kindergarten Readiness Checklist

Child's name _____ Date of Birth _____

Checklist completed by: Pre-School Teacher Child Care Provider Parent Other _____

Date Completed: _____ Note: please submit checklist prior to student's first day of Kindergarten

Social Skills	
Enjoys Learning	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Demonstrates Cooperation	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Is Able to Wait for a Turn	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Initiates Peer Interaction	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Self-Help	
Takes Care of Personal Belongings	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Tries to Solve Problems Independently	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Takes Care of Own Toileting Needs	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Oral Communication	
Uses Language to Express Thoughts and Needs	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Uses Appropriate Developmental Talk/Language	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Memory/Attention Span/Listening	
Can Name Self, People in the Household, and Common Objects	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Can Focus for 10 Minutes on a Single Activity	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Gross Motor Skills	
Can Walk Safely Keeping Hands and Feet to Oneself	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Can Jump, Run, Hop, and Catch a Ball	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Can Keep a Rhythm (Clap, Tap, Stomp, etc.)	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Fine Motor Skills	
Uses a Natural Finger Grip on Writing/Coloring Tools	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Can Draw Lines and Shapes	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Can Cut Paper with Scissors	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Academic Skills	
Able to Count up to 20 Objects	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Able to Recite the Alphabet and Identify Letters in Child's Own Name	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Works Puzzles with up to 10 Pieces	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Child Can Write Own Name	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Can Identify Basic Shapes and Colors	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Can Join-in and Make-up Songs, Chants, Rhymes, and Rhythm Games	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always
Listens Attentively and Responds to Story Telling	Rarely 1 2 3 4 Always

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Name of preschool/child care provider Phone Number

Legal Guardian Print Name Date

Address Phone Number

City/State/Zip

Submit checklist to: Student's School or WVSD, 8902 Zier Road, Yakima, WA 98908 or Fax: (509) 972-6001

District Use:

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