

Student

School

Referring Teacher

## PRIMARY TALENT POOL

### Teacher Referral Form

Referral Date

Birthday

**Please** consider this child **for** the Primary Talent Pool. Below is a written statement explaining why this child should be considered. I have also attached **two (2)** additional **pieces of** informal assessment evidence and/or student work samples to support this child's inclusion in the Primary Talent Pool.

Written Statement:

## **The Young Gifted Child - Screening Checklist**

**Instructions: As you read the characteristics below, please check those that you observe "very often" in this child.**

- 1. Is very alert**
- 2. Has a long attentions span (for age)**
- 3. Has an excellent memory**
- 4. Is a rapid learner**
- 5. Has an advanced vocabulary**
- 6. Is very observant**
- 7. Is very curious**
- 8. Has one or more imaginary companions**

**9. Has a vivid imagination**

**10. Is very creative**

**11. Asks thoughtful questions**

**12. Expresses self well**

**13. Solves problems in unique ways**

**14. Exhibits unusual talent in art, music, or creative dramatics**

**15. Uses previously learned things in new contexts**

**16. Is able to order things in logical sequence**

**17. Discusses and elaborates on ideas**

**18. Shows desire to work independently and/or take initiative**

**19. Exhibits wit and humor**

**20. Is interested in reading**

**\* Please use the back of this sheet to provide any other information that you feel may be useful.**