

**DA VINCI ACADEMY
ADMISSIONS QUESTIONNAIRE
MIDDLE SCHOOL GRADES 5-8**

Instructions for Parents:

Parents' input is valuable in the admissions process. This questionnaire allows you to share lots of helpful information about your child. Your responses help us get a feel for your child's interests, favorite activities, social skills, and what you enjoy doing together as a family. You can help provide a complete picture of your child, and we appreciate your careful and thoughtful responses to complete this form. Information that you provide will be kept confidential for the purpose of the admissions process.

Please be as specific as possible as you describe your child. You are welcome to hand-write your responses in the space below or type up your answers separately.

Child's Name:

1. Please give a brief history of your child's previous and current school experiences.

2. In what extra-curricular activities does your child participate?

3. Does your child express creativity through any of the following activities: journal writing, free verse poetry, story-writing, art, science experiments, inventions, dance, or drama/theatre?

4. Does your child play a musical instrument or demonstrate other musical ability such as composing music?

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5. With whom does your child share interests? What do you and your child enjoy doing together? What does your child enjoy doing when playing alone or with other children?

6. How does your child react to new situations and people?

7. Please describe your child's attention span. How does it vary in different situations?

8. What is your child's current attitude toward school?

9. What is your child's strongest area or areas of academic interest?

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10. What is your child's area of least academic interest?

11. Are there areas of your child's development (physical, social, emotional, intellectual, etc) about which you are concerned?

14. Please describe your child's organizational skills:

- At home:

- At school:

15. How does your child respond to parental/adult directions?

16. Does your child show an awareness of or concern for global issues? If yes, please give examples.

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17. What are your expectations for your child's Middle School experience?

18. Has your child ever been suspended? If yes, please give details and the name of a school contact we could contact to discuss the suspension.

19. Has your child ever been referred for, or received, special education services? If yes, please explain.

20. Is there anything else that you think would be helpful for us to know?