

# **CHALLENGE CAMP**

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## **Discover, Imagine & Create Parent Document**

In order to know your child better and determine appropriateness, we'd like you to share some information. Please be assured that this is completely confidential. We are in need of your candid observations and honest reflections.

1. Has your child had any nursery school or organized play group experience?

Name of school and teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Length of Time: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Please describe briefly the family make-up. Include the child's place in the family (ie: is s/he oldest, middle or youngest).

3. List any significant trips or experiences this child has had and what were the reactions to them.

4. What are 3 things you want your child to gain from the program that s/he doesn't get in nursery school or other ordinary play situations.

5. In what ways does s/he express feelings, good or bad about:

a) People:

b) Situation:

c) Himself/Herself:

6. Describe your child's behavior in a group of like age children in a common play situation. Use specific examples:

7. How does this child communicate displeasure?

8. Using specific examples, how does your child explore her / his environment?

9. How does your child share an experience?

10. What specifically holds the child's attention for a long period of time? How long on average?

11. Cite specific examples of judgments or observations s/he has made.

12. What does this child insist on doing alone?

13. What does s/he enjoy doing with you?

14. Describe any special talents or inclinations you have observed.

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's birthday: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's address: \_\_\_\_\_