**HOPE Preschool**
Child/Family Personal History
(Two - Sided Form)

The purpose in securing this information about your child is to help the HOPE Preschool staff better understand your child's needs, concerns, and responses, and thus support and encourage him/her to reach full potential. All information is kept confidential and requires your written permission if it is to be shared. Some questions may not be applicable to your child at this time; please leave them blank.

**FAMILY AND SOCIAL HISTORY** Date _____

Child's Name _____ Known as _____
(Name you wish your child to write and identify)

Sex _____ Age _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____

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Mother (guardian) _____ Occupation _____

Employer name & address: _____

Father (guardian) _____ Occupation _____

Employer name & address: _____

Marital Status: Married _____ Divorced _____How long? _____

Single Parent _____ Separated _____How long? _____

Custody/visiting arrangements _____

Siblings: Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Other members of the household (include relationship and age) _____

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How long have you lived in this city? _____

Is English your child's primary language? _____

Do you speak a language at home other than English? _____ If so, what? _____

Are there special words that would help us communicate with your child? _____

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Are there any cultural practices or holidays you would like us to know about? _____

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What age was your child when he/she first separated from Mom and/or Dad? (i.e. illness, hospitalization, babysitter, school, daycare, etc.) _____

Date _____ Explanation _____

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**PERSONAL HISTORY**

Type of birth: Full Term _____ Premature _____

Any complications? _____

Age he/she began sitting _____ crawling _____ walking _____

Is he/she a good climber? _____ Does he/she fall easily? _____

Age he/she began talking _____ Does he/she speak in words _____ or sentences? _____

Does he/she have any speech problems? _____

Other language _____ Special words to describe his/her needs _____

**SLEEPING**

What time does child go to bed? _____ Awaken? _____

Is he/she ready for sleep? _____ Does he/she have his/her own room? _____ Own bed? _____

Does he/she walk, talk, or cry out at night? _____

What item does he/she take to bed with him/her? _____

Does he/she take naps? _____ From when to when? _____

**SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS**

Has he/she had experiences in playing with other children? _____

By nature, is he/she: Friendly _____ Aggressive _____ Shy _____ Withdrawn _____

How does he/she get along with his/her brothers and sisters? _____

Other adults? _____

With what age child does he/she prefer to play? _____

Will he/she know any children in the preschool? _____

What makes him/her angry or upset? _____

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How does your child show his/her feelings? _____

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What method of behavior control is used in your home? _____

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What is child's usual reaction? _____

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Who does most of the disciplining? _____

Is he/she frightened by any of the following: Animals/Insects _____ Tall people _____

Loud noises _____Dark _____ Storms _____ Anything else?_____

Does your child have a pet? _____ Type _____ Name _____

How much time does your child spend using electronics each day?

TV _____ Computer _____ Video Games _____ IPad _____

What are his/her favorite programs, games, etc.? _____

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Favorite toys and activities at home _____

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Does he/she like to read or be read to? _____ Visit the library? _____ Listen to music? _____

Does he/she like to play outdoors? _____ Can your child ride a tricycle? _____

Has he/she had experience with: Clay _____ Scissors _____ Easel painting _____

Finger painting _____ Blocks _____ Water play _____

What do you consider to be your child's strengths? _____

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What do you and your child enjoy doing together? _____

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Does your child have any problems that we should be aware of? _____

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**HEALTH HISTORY OF CHILD**

What past illnesses has he/she had? _____ At what age? _____

Chicken pox _____ Scarlet fever_____ Diabetes _____ HIV _____ AIDS _____ Measles _____

Hepatitis A _____ Hepatitis B _____ Seizures_____Other_____

Does your child have frequent: Colds _____ Earaches _____ Stomachaches _____ Nosebleeds_____

Explain:_____

Does he/she vomit easily? _____ Does he/she run high fevers easily? _____

Has your child had any serious accidents? _____ Explain: _____

Does your child have allergies? _____ If so, what are his/her symptoms?_____

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Asthma _____ Hay fever _____ Hives _____ Other _____

What is the cause of the allergy? _____

Does your child have a doctor-prescribed EpiPen Jr. or AuviQ ? _____

Does he/she have any food allergies? _____ Please list _____

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Has your child ever been hospitalized? _____ What for? _____

Has your child ever had a vision test? _____ a hearing test? _____

Does he/she wear corrective shoes? _____

Does your child have any special needs? _____ If so, please explain _____

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Does child eat with a spoon? _____ Fork? _____ What time does your child eat breakfast? _____

Is child right or left-handed? _____ Is the family vegetarian? _____

Other dietary restrictions: _____

**TOILET HABITS**

Can the child be relied upon to indicate his/her toileting needs? _____

What word is used for urination? _____ for bowel movement? _____

Does the child need to go more frequently than usual for his/her age? _____

Is he/she frightened of the bathroom? (for example, flushing toilet)_____

Does he/she have accidents? _____ How does he/she react to them? _____

Does the child need help with toileting? _____ Was the child easy or difficult to toilet train? _____

Does he/she wet the bed at night? _____ How often? _____

**OTHER**

Briefly describe your child (personality, abilities, etc.) _____

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What are your expectations for your child at HOPE Preschool? In what particular ways can we help your child? _____

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