

DEAR PARENTS/GUARDIANS:

Your child's vision develops in conjunction with such other functions as walking and talking. It also can be affected by certain illnesses, as well as his/her family history. Therefore, your thorough answers to these forms will aid us in determining how your child's vision has developed as well as permitting us to utilize all of the office time for a complete optometric examination.

**Child's Full Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age Now: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_ Teachers Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mother's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Best way to contact: \_\_\_\_\_

**Father's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Best way to contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Who does the child reside with: Mother- Father- Both or Other \_\_\_\_\_

Siblings names and ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Who recommended you to our office? \_\_\_\_\_

For what reasons? \_\_\_\_\_

**A. Present Situation:**

1. Does your child seem to have any visual difficulty? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, in what way? \_\_\_\_\_

2. How long has this difficulty been noted? (if it is present) \_\_\_\_\_

3. Does your child ever report any of the following, and if so, when?
- a. Headaches: Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Blurred vision: Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Double vision: Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_
  - d. Eyes "hurt or tired": Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Have you or anyone else ever noted the following:

Symptoms	Yes	No	When
a. Holding reading close			
b. Uses finger when reading			
c. Reverses words			
d. Skips words			
e. Closes or covers on eye			
f. Frowning or squinting			
g. Eyes frequently reddened			
h. Frequent sties			
i. Excessive eye rubbing			
j. Getting lost in books (Not aware of surroundings)			
k. Tilting head when reading			
l. Bumping into objects			
m. Poor General Coordination			
n. Large pupils in bright light			
o. Bothered by light			
p. "Car Sickness"			

**B. SCHOOL**

1. Age at time of entrance? Kindergarten \_\_\_\_\_ First Grade \_\_\_\_\_
2. Does your child like school? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
3. Has a grade been repeated? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Which? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Has there been any school difficulty? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
5. If Yes, Explain \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
6. Is schoolwork above average \_\_\_\_\_, average \_\_\_\_\_ or below average \_\_\_\_\_.
7. Is there any subject(s) which seem easy for the child? \_\_\_\_\_
8. Is there any subject(s) which seem difficult for the child? \_\_\_\_\_
9. Is the child in any special classes, such as math or reading? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Does your child like to read? \_\_\_\_\_

**C. DEVELOPMENTAL HISTORY**

1. Full-term pregnancy? \_\_\_\_\_ Normal Birth? \_\_\_\_\_  
Any complications before, during or immediately following delivery?  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Did you child crawl? \_\_\_\_\_ On all fours? \_\_\_\_\_  
At what age? \_\_\_\_\_
3. At what age did your child walk? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Speech: First words? Age \_\_\_\_\_ Sentences? Age \_\_\_\_\_
5. Was your child active? \_\_\_\_\_
6. When fatigued, your child does which of the following?  
Sags \_\_\_\_\_ Becomes irritable \_\_\_\_\_ Becomes excited \_\_\_\_\_
7. When under tension, is there any pattern of behavior, such as thumb sucking, nail biting, etc.? \_\_\_\_\_

**D. GENERAL HEALTH**

1. Past illnesses (as measles) and significant injuries:

Illness or Injury	Age	Mild	Severe

2. Health at present: Good \_\_\_\_\_ Fair \_\_\_\_\_ Poor \_\_\_\_\_
3. Is your child receiving medication now? \_\_\_\_\_ Purpose \_\_\_\_\_
4. Teeth condition? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Condition of tonsils? \_\_\_\_\_
6. Has your child had all of their vaccinations?  
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**E. VISUAL HISTORY**

1. Have your child's eyes ever been crossed or turned out? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Previous visual examinations:

<b>Reason for examination</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Doctor</b>	<b>Results</b>

3. Members of the family who have had visual attention and why? \_\_\_\_\_

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4. Are there any unusual family eye conditions? \_\_\_\_\_

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F. Please give a brief description of your child's personality.

Thank you.