

FERNDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Ferndale, Washington

AIMING HIGH PROGRAM
LETTER TO PARENT/PERMISSION TO ASSESS

Date

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Your child, [name], has been nominated to be tested for Aiming High, Ferndale's program for highly capable students. Due to the high number of students being tested, a screening process will take place this year. All students who have been nominated will be given a cognitive abilities test during the week of May _____. Those students who make a state-mandated score of 90 or above will be tested further during the week of May _____. Those students scoring an 89 or below will not be tested further.

After the cognitive abilities test has been scored, schools will be notified by telephone of the names of their students who will complete the testing. We will notify parents by mail as to their child's testing status. Please call us at 384-9245 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Program Teacher
Aiming High

PLEASE CUT AND RETURN THE PERMISSION SLIP BELOW TO YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL

I hereby give permission for _____ to take part in the testing process for Aiming High. I understand that if my child has a score of 90 or above on the cognitive abilities test that he/she will continue the Aiming High testing procedures. I also understand that if my child scores an 89 or below he/she will not be tested further, but can be nominated again next spring.

Parent's Signature _____

Mailing Address _____

Date _____

Child's School _____ Grade _____

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