

INFORMATION SECTION

For more information, please complete the form below and return it to the school office.

Date: _____ Area of Talent: Visual Arts
 Music
 Theater

Student Name: _____

School: _____

Grade: _____ Age: _____ DOB _____

Referring Teacher(s): _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Parent Signature _____

St. Mary Parish School Board

Talented Program
Visual Arts – Music – Theatre

*Individualized and Small
Group Instruction*



***The St. Mary Parish School Board is looking
for children who might be talented***

***Characteristics of a
Talented Student***

Talented means possession of measurable abilities that give clear evidence of unique talent in visual or performing arts or both.

The primary purpose of the talented program is to develop the exceptionally talented identified student with services.

Please take the time to complete the St. Mary Parish Talented Quiz in this brochure. If seven (7) or more of the characteristics listed describe your child, he/she may be talented.

If you are interested in learning more about talented services in St. Mary Parish, please complete the **Information Section** of this brochure (located on the back), and return it to the **school office**.

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The talented student may exhibit the following characteristics:

- Highly creative thinking and vivid imagination.
- Ability to demonstrate feelings and emotions through the arts.
- Ability to view and express things from unusual perspectives.
- Self-motivation and intense power of concentration. Feels driven to work on task until it is complete.
- Total absorption and enjoyment in artistic performance.
- Ability to think on his/her feet and improvise with common place materials.
- Highly critical of his/her own work but can learn to accept his /her strengths and weaknesses as an artist.
- Sensitivity, intuitiveness, responding emotionally to people, events, and art forms.
- Exceptional ability in Art, Music, and/or Theater.
- Intense appreciation of Art, Music, and/or Theater.

If you checked seven (7) or more of the above items, your child may be talented.