

**Riverside Unified School District  
Department of Research, Assessment, and Evaluation**

**Home Language Survey**

Assessment Center Use Only:	STU-ID: _____
School Year _____	School: _____
Appointment Date: _____	Time: _____
Distribution: Original = Cum	Copy = Assessment Center (Fax 80881)
Calif. Ed. Code §52164.1.a	Required per NCLB & Title III Regulations

**Instructions for parents/guardians:** The California *Education Code* contains legal requirements which direct schools to assess the English language proficiency of the student. The process begins with determining the language(s) spoken in the home of each student. The responses to the home language survey will assist in determining if a student's proficiency in English should be tested. This information is essential in order for the school to provide adequate instructional programs and services.

As parents or guardians, your cooperation is requested in complying with these requirements. Please respond to each of the four questions listed below as accurately as possible. For each question, write the name(s) of the language(s) that apply in the space provided. Please do not leave any question unanswered. If an error is made completing this home language survey, you may request correction before your student's English proficiency is assessed.

Student : _____		_____		_____		_____		_____		
Last Name		First Name		Middle		Grade		Birthdate		
Student's Address _____			Apt. # _____	City _____		State _____		Zip _____		Home Phone _____
1. _____	_____			2. _____		_____		_____	_____	
Name of Previous School, District Attended	City State			Name of Previous School, District Attended		City State				

**Please read and answer each question carefully to assist the school in planning the most appropriate educational program for your child:**

1. Which language did your child learn when they first began to speak?

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2. Which language does your child use most frequently at home?

\_\_\_\_\_

3. Which language do you use most frequently to speak to your child?

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Which language is most often spoken by the adults at home?

\_\_\_\_\_

Would you like to have school correspondence sent home to you in English or translated into another language?  English  Other Language

X \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian / Date

*Write in the language*

*Printed name of Parent/Guardian*