STUDENT ACTIVITIES SURVEY

The purpose of this survey is to become more familiar with some of the interests and activities of students the age of your child. This is not a test and there are no correct or incorrect answers. All responses will be kept completely confidential.

There are two sections to this survey. Section One lists many specific activities and Section Two is a survey of student projects.

SECTION ONE

Directions: Please complete this survey with your child.

CHECKLIST

Check all of the activities below which your child does on a regular basis. Then estimate the number of hours your child spent doing each activity in the past two weeks.

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<td>_______ Doing routine homework</td>
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<td>_______ Working on a special school project (e.g., science fair)</td>
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<td>_______ Studying a topic of personal interest (e.g., science, history)</td>
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<td>_______ Reading for pleasure</td>
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<td>_______ Watching television</td>
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<td>_______ Playing video games (e.g., nintendo)</td>
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<td>_______ Using a computer (not video games)</td>
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<td>_______ Playing sports on a team</td>
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SECTION TWO

Read each question and place a check in the space before each statement which best describes your child's participation in the activity. Provide a description of the activity when necessary.

1. Has your child submitted an original piece of work (i.e., an article, a description of an experiment) to a journal, magazine or school or local newspaper, etc.?
   ______ Yes ______ No
   If yes, please complete the following information. If no, go to question #2.
   ______ My child has submitted original work for publication in the past
   Number of times __________________________________________________________
   Title of work(s) __________________________________________________________
   _______________________________________________________________________
   Place(s) submitted _________________________________________________________
   _______________________________________________________________________
   Please check one of the following-
   This was completed:
   _____ as a regular classroom assignment
   _____ as a project in a special program
   _____ on his/her own, it was not a class assignment or part of a special program
   ______ My child is presently working on this type of project
   _____ Title or description of work ___________________________________________
   _______________________________________________________________________
   _____ Place my child plans to submit work _________________________________
   _______________________________________________________________________
   Number of hours spent working on project in past two weeks _________
   Please check one of the following-
   My child is completing this:
   _____ as a regular classroom assignment
   _____ as a project in a special program
   _____ on his/her own, it is not a class assignment or part of a special program
SECTION TWO (continued)

2. Have you ever received an award?  ____  Yes  ____  No
   If yes ...
      ____  I participated in this type of activity, but won no award
      ____  I received an honorable mention
      ____  I won second or third place
      ____  I came in first place
   Which awards have you received?
   ____________________________________________________________

3. Does your child develop computer programs?  ____  Yes  ____  No
   If yes ...
      ____  My child has written a computer program in the past
         Number of times__________________________________________
         Title of program(s)______________________________________
   Please check one of the following-
   My child has completed this:
      ____  as a regular classroom assignment
      ____  as a project in a special program
      ____  on his/her own, it was not a class assignment or part of a special
            program
      ____  My child is presently writing a computer program
         Title or description of program____________________________
   Number of hours spent working on project in past two weeks__________
   Please check one of the following-
   My child is completing this:
      ____  as a regular classroom assignment
      ____  as a project in a special program
      ____  on his/her own, it is not a class assignment or part of a special
            program
SECTION TWO (continued)

4. Have you ever completed a research project?  _____ Yes  _____ No
   If yes ...
      _____ My child has completed a research project in the past
         Number of times___________________________________________________
         Title of research project(s)________________________________________
         _________________________________________________________________
         Place(s) results were presented_______________________________________
         __________________________________________________________________
   Please check one of the following-
   My child completed this:
      _____ as a regular classroom assignment
      _____ as a project in a special program
      _____ on his/her own, it was not a class assignment or part of a special
            program
      _____
      _____ My child is presently working on this type of project
      Title or description of research project_______________________________
         ____________________________
         Place he/she plans to present work_______________________________
         ____________________________
   Number of hours spent working on project in past two weeks___________
   Please check one of the following-
   My child is completing this:
      _____ as a regular classroom assignment
      _____ as a project in a special program
      _____ on his/her own, it is not a class assignment or part of a special
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