



# The Brookwood School

## Developmental History

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date \_\_\_\_\_

The information you provide on this form is very important in helping our staff understand your child and his/her needs. Please fill in all the blanks that apply, using thought and care. This information is confidential and will not be given to anyone outside the school.

### PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

Type of birth: \_\_\_\_ vaginal \_\_\_\_ c-section

Full term? \_\_\_\_\_ Premature? \_\_\_\_\_ Birthmarks? \_\_\_\_\_

Any complications/comments? \_\_\_\_\_

To the best of your knowledge, how old was your child when he/she accomplished the tasks below?

#### *Infants:*

\_\_\_\_ Roll over  
\_\_\_\_ Push self to sitting  
\_\_\_\_ Sit with head steady  
\_\_\_\_ Sit without support  
\_\_\_\_ Crawl  
\_\_\_\_ Sleep through the night  
\_\_\_\_ Pull to standing  
\_\_\_\_ Stood holding on  
\_\_\_\_ Stood alone  
\_\_\_\_ Got down from standing position

#### *Infants/Toddlers:*

\_\_\_\_ Take steps  
\_\_\_\_ Walk  
\_\_\_\_ Climb up steps  
\_\_\_\_ Climb down steps  
\_\_\_\_ Walk up steps  
\_\_\_\_ Walk down steps  
\_\_\_\_ Name simple objects  
\_\_\_\_ Repeat sentences  
\_\_\_\_ Began toilet training  
\_\_\_\_ Toilet trained

### HEALTH OF CHILD

What communicable diseases has your child had? \_\_\_\_\_

Has your child ever been seriously ill or hospitalized? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_

Explain \_\_\_\_\_

Any physical disabilities or limitations? \_\_\_\_\_

Any known allergies? (Asthma, hay fever, insect bites/stings, medicines, foods, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Are there any medications given regularly? \_\_\_\_ If yes, which need to be administered at school? \_\_\_\_\_

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Does your child have any chronic condition? \_\_\_ stomach aches/cramps \_\_\_ diarrhea  
\_\_\_ spitting up \_\_\_ upper respiratory infections \_\_\_ other \_\_\_\_\_

How does your child react to a fever? \_\_\_\_\_

NUTRITION

Is your child:  
\_\_\_\_\_ breast-fed? \_\_\_\_\_ bottle-fed?

*(Please omit the following if your child is over 2 years old)*

What food(s) is your child eating right now?

Fruits _____	Cereals _____
Meats _____	Vegetables _____
Juices _____	Formula _____

Has your child had any eating problems? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please describe briefly. \_\_\_\_\_

What his/her favorite foods? \_\_\_\_\_

What foods does he/she dislike? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you noticed any sensitivity to particular foods? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, what foods? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ What happens? \_\_\_\_\_

SLEEPING

Does your child have any sleeping problems? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, explain \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any special ways to help him/her go to sleep? \_\_\_\_\_

Does he/she usually cry when going to sleep? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_

Does he/she cry when waking up? \_\_\_\_\_

How long does your child sleep? \_\_\_\_\_ overnight

When does your child nap? \_\_\_\_\_ how long? \_\_\_\_\_

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BEHAVIOR

How does your child act when you leave him/her and what do you find is best to say or do at these times of separation? \_\_\_\_\_

Has your child attended any other childcare, nursery school, playgroups or babysitter?  
If so, which and how long? \_\_\_\_\_

Did your child enjoy the experience? \_\_\_\_\_

How does your child respond to other children? \_\_\_\_\_

How does your child express that he/she is unhappy, frightened, upset, or needs comforting? \_\_\_\_\_

What is the best way to handle this? \_\_\_\_\_

How would you describe your child's personality? \_\_\_\_\_

What kinds of activities does your child enjoy? \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe your child's home situation, i.e. does he/she have any brothers and sisters, are you a single parent; anything that might be pertinent to your child's behavior in childcare.

TOILET TRAINING

Is your child toilet trained? \_\_\_\_\_

*(Please omit \*\* questions if your child has been toilet trained)*

\*\*Have you begun toilet training? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, check the following:

**My child wears:	<i>Diapers</i>	<i>Training Pants</i>
	_____ When awake	_____ When awake
	_____ At nap time	_____ At nap time

\*\*Does he/she use the toilet or a potty chair? \_\_\_\_\_

What words does your child use to signal a need to use the bathroom? \_\_\_\_\_

Does he/she go at specific times? \_\_\_\_\_

If there is any other information about your child you would like us to know, please make additional comments on back. Thanks very much for the time you took to answer this form!