

Appendix 4.2: English Learner–Parent Questionnaire

Please use date format: mm/dd/yyyy

Student: ID:
 School: Grade:
 Parent/Guardian: Date:
 Student L1 (Language other than English):

Language Development

- Which language did your child first learn to speak? English L1 Both
- Was your child’s language development in his/her first language similar to that of...
 his/her siblings? Yes No If no, please explain:

 other children his/her age? Yes No If no, please explain:

3. Describe any difficulties, if any, your child experiences with language:

Language Usage

- What is the primary language used by adults in the home? English L1 Both
- What language do you use most often to speak to your child? English L1 Both
- What language does your child use most...

when speaking to adults in the home?	English	L1	Both
when speaking to his/her siblings?	English	L1	Both
when speaking to friends in the neighborhood?	English	L1	Both
- Does your child understand when you speak to him/her in the L1? Yes No

Language Instruction

1. Has your child received instruction in L1? Yes No
 If so, when did this instruction begin, and for how long did it take place?

2. Can your child read and write in L1? Yes No

3. (*If new to school*) Previously, has your child received instruction in English? Yes No
 If so, when did this instruction begin and for how long?