

## REQUEST FOR PSYCHOEDUCATIONAL TESTING

Dear Principal:

Name of student\_\_\_\_\_

Name of parents\_\_\_\_\_

Student's date of birth\_\_\_\_\_

Grade\_\_\_\_\_ Teacher\_\_\_\_\_

The above named child is being assessed for the possibility of an Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD). In accordance with the American Academy of Pediatrics Practice Guidelines for this disorder, a psychological evaluation is essential. The minimal assessment will include the full Wechsler Intelligence Scale for Children (Fourth Edition) and some measure of individual achievement. Careful attention should be placed on assessing graphomotor or written output, audio processing and executive functioning. Other tests may be conducted as indicated by the psychologist.

While it is understood that a psychoeducational assessment puts a high financial burden on the school system and/or community's resources, it is an important part of the overall assessment as many children with ADHD have concurrent learning disabilities. It is necessary to do the testing as quickly as possible.

I appreciate your diligence in this matter. Should you have any further questions or concerns, you may contact me for information.

Yours truly,