

Ohio County Schools Primary Talent Pool Teacher Recommendation Form

Specific Academic Aptitude in Math

Student Name: _____ School: _____

Teacher Name: _____ Grade: _____ Date: _____

Indications: (check all that apply)

Math scores

Test Name _____ Date _____ Math score _____ %-ile

Observed strengths in Math (attach a statement)

Other nationally normed tests such as Explore, ACT, SAT

Test Name _____ Date _____ Score _____ %-ile

Anecdotal: Please comment on student

Level of performance

Special strengths and weaknesses

Needs caused by giftedness

Ability to work independently and focus responsibly on academic tasks related to Math

Student's work that substantiates giftedness in Math (Attachment)

Additional information that you believe is relevant (Attachment)

(MUST BE COMPLETED FOR RECOMMENDED STUDENT)

Please check the characteristics that accurately describe the TYPICAL behavior of this student.

Invents new and obscure systems and codes

Reasons effectively and likes logic problems and puzzles

Grasps the abstract nature of mathematics easily

Enjoys trying to solve difficult problems

Likes to solve problems through discovery

Applies problem-solving skills when appropriate

Is intuitive and has the ability to do deductive and inductive reasoning

Exhibits great desire to excel in math (as a mathematician or in a math-related field)

Is eager to tell others about discoveries and shows excitement when talking about this subject.

Prefers to work independently

Is eager to complete tasks

Enjoys talking with experts about this subject