

# DEVELOPMENTAL CHECK LIST

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_\_

## Emergent Literacy and Mathematical Thinking

- Successfully puts together puzzles containing \_\_\_\_ pieces
- Demonstrates an understanding of a pattern and a non-pattern
- Can copy a pattern in 1" blocks
- Can copy a pattern beads and laces
- Can copy a pattern parquetry
- Makes an original pattern
- Pattern created is an a-\_\_\_\_\_ pattern  
(e.g. ab-red sphere, green cube)
- Can repeat original pattern
- Recognizes likeness and difference
- Classifies by Color \_\_\_\_ Shape \_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_
- Recognizes these 2-dimensional geometric shapes:  
Triangle \_\_\_\_ Square \_\_\_\_ Circle \_\_\_\_ Rectangle \_\_\_\_ Oval \_\_\_\_  
Trapezoid \_\_\_\_ Rhombus \_\_\_\_
- Can name these 2-dimensional geometric shapes:  
Triangle \_\_\_\_ Square \_\_\_\_ Circle \_\_\_\_ Rectangle \_\_\_\_ Oval \_\_\_\_  
Trapezoid \_\_\_\_ Rhombus \_\_\_\_

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- Recognizes these 3-dimensional geometric shapes:  
Sphere \_\_\_\_\_ Cube \_\_\_\_\_ Cone \_\_\_\_\_ Cylinder \_\_\_\_\_ Pyramid \_\_\_\_\_
- Can name these 3-dimensional geometric shapes:  
Sphere \_\_\_\_\_ Cube \_\_\_\_\_ Cone \_\_\_\_\_ Cylinder \_\_\_\_\_ Pyramid \_\_\_\_\_
- Compares: Length \_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_
- Can classify objects using \_\_\_\_\_ variables
- Can count by rote from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_
- Can match objects with one to one correspondence YES NO SOMETIMES
- Can make a set of objects to quantity of \_\_\_\_\_
- Shows an understanding of addition and subtraction using a set of objects or story problems YES NO SOMETIMES
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- Indicates that there are less when objects are removed YES NO SOMETIMES
- Recognizes numerals to \_\_\_\_\_
- Identifies ordinals: First \_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_ Third \_\_\_\_ Fourth \_\_\_\_ Fifth \_\_\_\_ Sixth \_\_\_\_ Beyond \_\_\_\_
- States days of the week  
Monday \_\_\_\_ Tuesday \_\_\_\_ Wednesday \_\_\_\_ Thursday \_\_\_\_ Friday \_\_\_\_  
Saturday \_\_\_\_ Sunday \_\_\_\_
- States address YES NO PARTIALLY
- States telephone number for home YES NO PARTIALLY

• States first name	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Last name	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
States parent's first and last name	YES	NO	PARTIALLY
Can recognize written first name	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Can recognize written last name	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Can find letters to first name	YES	NO	PARTIALLY
Can find letters to last name	YES	NO	PARTIALLY
Can trace letters of name	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Can write in correct manuscript: First name ____ Last ____			

Example of writing attached

• Uses appropriate pencil grip	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Has established a right or left hand dominance	YES	NO	
Is right handed ____ Left handed ____			

• Speaks in full sentences clearly one to one	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Speaks in full sentences clearly in groups	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Responds when called upon	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Listens to others in a group setting	YES	NO	SOMETIMES

• Recognizes these upper case letters (circle)  
A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

• Recognizes these lower case letters (circle)  
a b c d e f g h i j k l m n o p q r s t u v w x y z

• Matches letters	YES	NO	PARTIALLY
• Shows an interest in a personal reading vocabulary			
List of personal words attached	YES	NO	SOMETIMES

• Can identify rhyming words

YES	NO	
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• Can generate a list of rhyming words (ex: <i>cat, bat, hat, mat, sat, etc.</i> )	YES	NO	
• Demonstrates an awareness of words that begin the same way. Usually their own name and that of a friend or relative. (ex: <i>Maddie and Maya</i> )	YES	NO	
• Can generate a list of words with the same initial consonant sound	YES	NO	
• Shows an awareness of separate syllables in words (ex: claps two times for <i>rab•bit</i> )	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Verbally separates and blends onset rime (ex: <i>/c/ and /at/ to form cat</i> )	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Demonstrates an awareness of compound words (ex: <i>cow/boy, hot/dog, etc.</i> )	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Demonstrates an understanding of simple opposites	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Demonstrates an understanding of positional words (ex: <i>over, under, beside</i> )	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Concentrates on own work	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Puts forth best effort on work	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Consistently finishes tasks without prompting	YES	NO	
• Moves smoothly from one activity to another	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Follows one direction ____ two ____ three ____			
• Stage of emergent writing			

Insert stages of emergent writing with portfolio samples attached

## Fluid Construction

- Recognizes basic colors  
 Red \_\_\_\_ Blue \_\_\_\_ Green \_\_\_\_ Yellow \_\_\_\_ Brown \_\_\_\_ Black \_\_\_\_  
 Purple \_\_\_\_ Orange \_\_\_\_ White \_\_\_\_ Others \_\_\_\_
  
- Can cut on a line YES NO PARTIALLY  
 Can fold and cut a shape with symmetry YES NO SOMETIMES  
 Can use paste in a controlled manner YES NO SOMETIMES
  
- Can find top YES NO SOMETIMES  
 Can find bottom YES NO SOMETIMES
  
- Is in the following stage using fluid construction materials:  
Insert stages of easel/marker crayon drawing with portfolio samples attached
  
- Can dictate about own product YES NO SOMETIMES  
 Dictates in complete sentences YES NO SOMETIMES  
 Dictates a coherent story YES NO SOMETIMES

## Structured Construction

- Is in the following stage using blocks:  
Insert stages of block building with portfolio samples attached
  
- Can verbally describe symmetrical YES NO SOMETIMES
  
- Builds alone YES NO SOMETIMES  
 Builds along side of others YES NO SOMETIMES  
 Builds with obvious cooperation and planning  
 with others YES NO SOMETIMES  
 Builds and then moves into micro dramatic play: Alone \_\_\_\_ With Others \_\_\_\_
  
- Understands and can tell the difference between orientation terms such as:  
 horizontal \_\_\_\_ diagonal \_\_\_\_ vertical \_\_\_\_

## Dramatic Play

Insert dramatic play behaviors as defined by Smilansky or Gowan or the observation system using the scales of Howe, Rubin, and Piaget.

Offer journal observations of the child's dramatic play behavior.

- Social Behaviors  
Percentage of time engaged in each  
Onlooker \_\_\_\_\_  
Solitary \_\_\_\_\_  
Parallel \_\_\_\_\_  
Associative \_\_\_\_\_  
Cooperative \_\_\_\_\_
- Is most often the leader \_\_\_\_  
Most often the follower \_\_\_\_  
Can be both leader and follower \_\_\_\_  
Uses language to settle problems rather than physical force \_\_\_\_
- Plays with children younger \_\_\_\_ older \_\_\_\_ same age \_\_\_\_  
Prefers children younger \_\_\_\_ older \_\_\_\_ same age \_\_\_\_
- Is a willing helper at clean up time YES NO SOMETIMES
- Leaves parents happily in A.M. YES NO SOMETIMES  
Greet parents happily in P.M. YES NO SOMETIMES
- Handles transitions smoothly throughout the day YES NO SOMETIMES
- Is aware of other's needs during meals YES NO SOMETIMES
- Is willing to taste new foods YES NO SOMETIMES
- Eats without extreme mess YES NO SOMETIMES

• Asks for help from adults as needed	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Responds appropriately when spoken to by:			
Other children	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Adults	YES	NO	SOMETIMES

## Self Help Skills

• Can button	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Can snap	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Can zip	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Can dress self	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Can find own personal items such as coat, books, etc.	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Responsibly cares for own personal items	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Rests quickly and easily at nap	YES	NO	SOMETIMES

## Music and Gross Motor

• Can throw a ball	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Can catch a ball	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Can kick a rolled ball	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Can jump on two feet	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Can hop on one foot	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Can run without falling	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Can skip	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Can gallop	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Can gallop to a rhythm	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Can pedal a tricycle	YES	NO	SOMETIMES

• Sings out loud during music	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Can keep a clapping rhythm	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Can move smoothly to fast music	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Can move smoothly slow music	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Can move maintaining own personal space	YES	NO	SOMETIMES

Additional Information: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Kindergarten Only Skills

## Emergent Literacy

• Writes numerals to _____			
• Combines sets	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Can describe position of number on a number line (Ex: 6 is after 5)	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Counts orally by 1's, 2's, and 10's to 100	YES	NO	PARTIALLY
• Can count backwards from 10 to 1	YES	NO	PARTIALLY
• Demonstrates the use of a number line	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Demonstrates an awareness of addition and subtraction in everyday activities	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Identifies whether sets are more or less than a given number (such as five)	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Identifies odd and even numbers to ten	YES	NO	PARTIALLY
• Describes concepts of time (before, after, day, night)	YES	NO	PARTIALLY
• Describes concepts of temperature (hot, cold)	YES	NO	PARTIALLY
• Compares and demonstrates the concept of capacity (full, empty)	YES	NO	PARTIALLY
• Measures things using non-standard objects	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Can fill in missing number (Ex: 5, 6, __, 8)	YES	NO	PARTIALLY

• Can interpret information on a pictorial graph	YES	NO	PARTIALLY
• Using a graph, can identify the mode (most common number)	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Knows if an event is more likely, or less likely to occur	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Understands how a survey works (Ex: voting for a book)	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Listens for and recalls details of a story	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Listens for and recalls sequence of events	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Listens for and recalls main events of a story	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Interprets feelings of characters and events in stories	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Correctly forms letters	YES	NO	PARTIALLY
• Distinguishes the following consonant sounds			
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• Can identify "naming" words (nouns)	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
"Action" words (verbs)	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Can identify print in the environment (Ex: McDonalds, Publix, K-Mart)	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Attempts invented spelling	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Uses period at the end of sentences	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
• Knows a variety of literary genres (fiction, non-fiction, biography, etc.)	YES	NO	PARTIALLY

- Basic computer skills:
 

Uses a mouse	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Locates letters and numbers on keyboard	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
Opens an application	YES	NO	SOMETIMES
- Can verbally describe a “predictable book”      YES      NO      PARTIALLY
- Can differentiate between left and right      YES      NO      SOMETIMES

### Self Help Skills

- Can tie      YES      NO      SOMETIMES

### Music and Gross Motor

- Can ride a bicycle      YES      NO

Additional Information: \_\_\_\_\_

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