



## Teays Valley Local Schools Acceleration Referral Form

Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Referral: \_\_\_\_\_

Person making referral: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Student \_\_\_\_\_

The above named student is being referred for the following accelerated placement:

- Whole Grade Acceleration (Assigning a student to a higher grade level for all subject areas on a full-time basis.) Grade \_\_\_\_\_ to Grade \_\_\_\_\_
- Individual Subject Acceleration (Assigning a student to a higher grade level for a certain subject. Subject \_\_\_\_\_)

### Checkpoint 1

- Is the student in favor of the acceleration?      \_\_\_ yes      \_\_\_ no

Briefly describe why you think this student is ready for acceleration, documenting academic as well as social/emotional characteristics.

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Explain how this student will benefit more from acceleration than from the implementation of differentiation strategies at the current placement.

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*In understand that if I grant permission, my child will be evaluated and assessed by designated school personnel. The information may be shared with teachers, principals, and other appropriate school personnel. I will be informed of the results of this evaluation and will be included in the acceleration team meeting when a decision is made about acceleration.*

*I understand that Teays Valley Local Schools does not offer transportation for students who will need to be transported to different buildings for classes. Parents will need to provide transportation to the middle school or high school when students are subject accelerated.*

Permission is given to conduct necessary assessments)

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Signature of Parent/Guardian

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Date

- All referral for acceleration must be submitted within 45 calendar days of the end of the school year for consideration for the upcoming school year.
- Because testing for acceleration must be complete by a licensed school psychologist, testing may not be completed until up to 45 days after the initial referral. Parents will be contacted when testing has been completed.

Please return completed form to:  
Carmen Tarbill/Gifted Coordinator  
Teays Valley Local Schools  
South Bloomfield Elementary  
194 Dowler Dr  
South Bloomfield, Ohio 43103