

Rice Lake Area School District

Parent/Student Gifted and Talented Referral Form

Parents/guardians/students should complete this form if they believe the student is performing well above grade level or demonstrating exceptional strengths or talents and would like the student's performance and achievement to be reviewed to determine eligibility for gifted education services. Please review the Bright Child vs. Gifted Child chart found on page 6 in the GT Handbook before completing the referral form.

Student:	Referral Date:	
Parent(s):	Referred by:	
Address:	Teacher:	
	Grade:	School:

	AREA OF GIFTEDNESS	SPECIFIC EXAMPLES OF BEHAVIORS
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>General Intellectual Ability Intellectually gifted children exhibit early and rapid development of language ability, strong power of reasoning and advanced ability in critical thinking and problem solving in multiple areas. They may manipulate information in different ways when challenged by complex issues.</p>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Specific Academic Shows unusual/advanced ability in: <input type="checkbox"/>Language Arts <input type="checkbox"/>Math <input type="checkbox"/>Science <input type="checkbox"/>Social Studies These students often make connections within a discipline that exceeds the obvious. They quickly grasp relationships among facts, and see facts as parts of a more complex whole.</p>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Creativity Creativity may cross all areas or may manifest itself in one specific area such as writing or math. Highly creative students tend to develop original ideas and products. They may express their creativity in oral, written or nonverbal expression.</p>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Leadership Individuals gifted in leadership usually have the ability to convince people to act or not act in specific ways. Leaders are often self-confident and comfortable with their peers. They express themselves well and frequently are charming and charismatic.</p>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Visual and Performing Arts Students can demonstrate unusual adeptness or skill in the fields of music or visual arts. Examples can be provided through (i.e.) portfolios and/or an expert's assessment.</p>	
	<p>Briefly describe the student's major interests, hobbies and other creative endeavors.</p>	

Please attach any other information which you believe is relevant and would assist us in getting to know the student's interests and abilities.

Please return this form to the classroom teacher, building principal or the Gifted and Talented Coordinator.

Principal: _____

Date: _____

Pupil Services: _____

Date: _____