

**DoDEA Gifted Education
Parent Rating Scale for High School (9-12)**

Student _____ **M** _____ **F** _____

Grade _____ **School** _____ **Date of Birth** _____

Signature of parent or guardian _____

Please consider each of the fifteen characteristics in this rating scale in relation to your own child. Note that some of the characteristics are fairly typical of students of this age. For example, most students enjoy interactions with adults. What you are asked to do is consider the degree to which your son or daughter seems different from the norm. To help you with this task, a rating scale 1-4 has been provided.

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| 1 | = My son/daughter acts/reacts in this area like a typical student of this age. |
| 2 | = My son/daughter seems above average for his/her age. |
| 3 | = My son/daughter seems quite advanced in this area as compared to other students of this age. |
| 4 | = My son's/daughter's behavior seems extremely advanced in this area compared to other students of this age. |

		Rating
1.	Demonstrates insight.	
2.	Thrives on intellectual activity.	
3.	Is persuasive. Can influence others.	
4.	Sustains concentration.	
5.	Is widely informed.	
6.	Seeks interactions with adults knowledgeable in a particular field.	
7.	Experiments, explores, pursues ideas.	
8.	Is concerned with justice, fairness.	
9.	Has multiple and/or extended interests.	
10.	Is self-motivated, goal-oriented, persistent.	
11.	Exhibits expertise in one or more areas.	
12.	Displays mature sense of humor.	
13.	Uses subtleties of words, numbers, or symbols.	
14.	Is resourceful, flexible.	
15.	Is original, unconventional, imaginative.	
	TOTAL	

Thank you for completing this rating scale. On the reverse side, please add comments related to any of the characteristics your student exhibits. Examples of specific behaviors will be especially helpful.