STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
APPROVED HOME LANGUAGE SURVEY*

The __________________________ is collecting information regarding the language background of each of its students. This information will be used by the district to determine the number of children who should be provided bilingual instruction according to Sections 380.1151 – 380.1158 of the School Code of 1976, Michigan’s Bilingual Education Law. Would you please help by providing the following information?

Thank you very much for your cooperation.

Name of Student __________________________ Grade _________ Age _________
School Building __________________________

1. Is your child’s native tongue a language other than English?

☐ Yes
☐ No  What is that language? __________________________

2. Is the primary language\(^1\) used in your child’s home or environment a language other than English?

☐ Yes
☐ No  What is that language? __________________________

_________________________  ________________________  _______  
Signature of Parent or Guardian  Address  Date

\(^1\)”Primary language” means “dominant language used by a person for communication.”

*Translation of this survey form in Spanish, Arabic, French, Italian, and Ojibwa is available at the Office of Field Service.