

**Dear Parents/Guardians:**

The Massachusetts Department of Education and Secondary Education (DESE) has a comprehensive web-based system between the DESE and all school districts in Massachusetts. We are required to maintain specific accurate information about every student in our school district. Please provide the following information to register your student in Franklin Public Schools:

**Section 1: Legal Name & Address of Student (Please print)**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ Other ☐ Decline to state

City &amp; State of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

First Native Language: \_\_\_\_\_

(Native language is specific language or dialect first learned by an individual or first used by parent/guardian with child)

**Section II: Ethnicity & Race**Ethnicity (*Select one*): ☐ Hispanic or Latino ☐ Not Hispanic or LatinoRace (*Select all that apply*): ☐ Native American ☐ Pacific Islander  
☐ Asian ☐ African American or Black  
☐ Caucasian or White**Section III: Income Status (Please check if applicable)**☐ **Low Income State:** The student is eligible for free or reduced lunch or receives Transitional Aid to Families benefits or is eligible for food stamps.☐ **Homelessness:** The McKinney-Vento Act covers children and youth who don't have a fixed, adequate and regular nighttime residence. This includes living in a shelter, in a motel, hotel or campground, in a car, bus or train station, an abandoned building or some other inadequate accommodations. Also living with other people due to loss of housing, economic hardship or similar reason. This includes migrant and unaccompanied youth living in any of these situations.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Home Language Survey

Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education regulations require that *all* schools determine the language(s) spoken in each student's home in order to identify their specific language needs. This information is essential in order for schools to provide meaningful instruction for all students. If a language other than English is spoken in the home, the District is required to do further assessment of your child. Please help us meet this important requirement by answering the following questions. Thank you for your assistance.

| Student Information  |  |
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| First Name _____   | Middle Name _____  |
| Last Name _____  |  |
| Gender:    Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Decline to state <input type="checkbox"/>    |  |
| Country of Birth _____   | Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) _____   |
| Date first enrolled in ANY U.S. school (mm/dd/yyyy) _____  |  |
| School Information   |  |
| Start Date in New School (mm/dd/yyyy) _____  | Name of Former School and Town _____   |
| Current Grade _____  |  |
| Questions for Parents/Guardians  |  |
| What is the native language(s) of each parent/guardian? (circle one)<br><br>_____ (mother / father / guardian)<br>_____ (mother / father / guardian) | Which language(s) are spoken with your child?<br>(include relatives -grandparents, uncles, aunts, etc. - and caregivers)<br><br>_____ seldom / sometimes / often / always<br>_____ seldom / sometimes / often / always |
| What language did your child first understand and speak?<br><br>_____  | Which language do you use most with your child?<br><br>_____   |
| Which other languages does your child know? (circle all that apply)<br><br>_____ speak / read / write<br>_____ speak / read / write                  | Which languages does your child use? (circle one)<br><br>_____ seldom / sometimes / often / always<br>_____ seldom / sometimes / often / always  |
| Will you require written information from school in your native language?<br><br>Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/>               | Will you require an Interpreter/translator at Parent-Teacher meetings?<br><br>Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/>  |
| Parent/Guardian Signature: _____<br><br>X  | Today's Date: _____/_____/20_____<br>(mm/dd/yyyy)  |