

Ages and Stages Questionnaires

Family Letter

Dear Family,

The first five years of your child's life are very important. Your child's social-emotional and developmental growth form a foundation for lifelong learning. In partnership with you, Brightside Academy provides the Ages and Stages Questionnaires, Third Edition (ASQ-3) and the Ages and Stages Questionnaires-Social Emotional, Second Edition (ASQ-SE-2) to monitor and support your child's growth and development. These screening tools help to celebrate your child's developmental milestones and identify areas your child may need support.

As a parent/caregiver, you are our best source of information about your child. You will be asked to answer questions about your child's development in the following areas: Communication, Gross Motor, Fine Motor, Problem Solving, Personal-Social Skills, and Social-Emotional Development.

How to Complete the Screening Tools	
ASQ-3	ASQ-SE-2
- You will answer each question with "yes", "sometimes", or "not yet" based on what your child is able to do now. - To answer each question, you can try fun and simple activities with your child. These activities encourage your child to play, move around, and practice day-to-day skills.	- Answer each question by answering "often or always", "sometimes", or "rarely or never". Answer based on what you know about your child. - Note if any behaviors concern you.

If the questionnaire shows that your child is developing without concerns, we will provide activities to encourage your child's development. If the questionnaire shows some possible concerns, we will contact you about getting a more involved assessment for your child through our Intervention and Development Team. Information will only be shared with other agencies with your written consent.

We look forward to your participation! Please return all questionnaires to your child's teacher or to the Academy Leadership as soon as completed.