

## **HOME LANGUAGE SURVEY\***

The Office of Civil Rights (OCR) requires that school districts/charter schools identify limited English proficient (LEP) students in order to provide appropriate language instructional programs for them. Pennsylvania has selected the Home Language Survey as the method for the identification. All students seeking first time enrollment in a school shall be given a home language survey in accordance with requirements of the U.S. Department of Education's Office for Civil Rights.

Student Name:
Grade:
Student Date of Birth:
1. What is/was the student's first language?
<ul><li>2. Does the student speak a language(s) other than English? (Do not include languages learned in school.)</li><li>Yes  No</li></ul>
3. What language(s) is/are spoken in your home?
Person completing this form (if other than parent/guardian):
Parent/Guardian Signature:

<sup>\*</sup>The school district/charter school has the responsibility under the federal law to serve students who are limited English proficient and need English instructional services. Given this responsibility, the school district/charter school has the right to ask for the information it needs to identify English Language Learners (ELLs). As part of the responsibility to locate and identify ELLs, the school district/charter school may conduct screenings or ask for related information about students who are already enrolled in the school as well as from students who enroll in the school district/charter school in the future.