



Child Profile and Family Survey

Child's Name:.....**Date:**.....

Which of the following are your child's favourite types of free time activities? (please circle)

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| Blocks | Construction | Computer | Books |
| Sandpit | Sport | Outdoor play | Dolls |
| Drawing/colouring/creating with art materials | | Dress ups | Painting |
| Lacing/sewing cards/ stringing beads/pegboards | | Puzzles | |

Other:

My child's favourite toys are:

Most often, my child prefers to play: (please circle)

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| Alone | With other children | With adults |
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I would consider the following to be among my child's greatest strengths:.....

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I feel my child needs encouragement in the following areas:.....

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Parent and Family Involvement is an important part of the Shine experience for all children and staff alike. Do you or any family member/s have any special hobbies, skills or talents that you could share with us?

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At Shine, we have many families and staff who all have traditions and celebrations that they practice at home. We believe it is important to reflect each child's individual culture in their day care environment as they feel more comfortable and secure in an environment where they feel openly recognized. To do this, we need your help so we can learn about your child's individual culture. The information you provide us with will be used to help us program for your child on a more regular basis.

What Languages are spoken at home?

What music does your child listen to at home?

What foods does your child eat at home?

Who lives at home with you?

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What celebrations are important to your family?

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What celebrations would you like to see incorporated into Shine?

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What would you most like your child to learn while at Shine?

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Are you able to donate pictures, books, music or dress up clothes that reflect your individual culture?

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Would you like to share your culture with the children at Shine through visiting or helping staff plan

experiences with the children?.....

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Any ways that you would like to help us reflect your individual culture at Shine would be greatly appreciated and we thank you for taking the time to help. If you would like us to translate this into your home language, please see a staff member.

Thank you for taking the time to complete this survey. We look forward to many diverse celebrations with you, your child and the other Shine families.