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EVALUATION / DOCUMENTATION GUIDELINES

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Consideration for the Gifted Program requires documentation of the presence of the gifted designation. This documentation may be met in any of the following ways:

Students who have previously been identified as gifted and who have participated in a gifted education program in a previous school may be considered for the program by providing the following:

- Previous IQ testing (within the last three years)* with a written diagnostic summary
- Documentation of participation from the previous school
- Achievement test scores from group standardized or individual achievement tests
- Teacher recommendation and Renzuli rating scale from current teachers

Students seeking the gifted designation for the first time may be considered for the program by providing the following:

- IQ testing (within the last three years)* with a written diagnostic summary
- Group or individual achievement testing
- Current grades
- Teacher recommendation and Renzuli rating scale from current teachers

*Students with IQ testing older than three years will need an updated IQ test from the list of approved testers, SSD, or the gifted program in their home district. The WISC-V is preferred.

When the documentation has been received, the admissions committee for gifted services will meet to determine acceptance into the program.

GIFTED PROGRAM LIST OF APPROVED TESTERS

St. Louis University Psychological Services Center • 314.977.2278

UMSL Community Psychological Services • 314.516.5824

Washington University Psychological Services • 314.935.6555

Cardinal Glennon Children's Psychology Department • 314.577.5667

Private Practitioners

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It is the responsibility of the parent to determine the appropriate tester for their child.

FEES

Each agency or private practice tester has different fee schedules. Agencies generally follow sliding scale guidelines. Fees are the responsibility of the family.

SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ST. LOUIS COUNTY

If a student has been evaluated by SSD within the last year and the data reflects twice exceptionality and includes the four components listed above, that data will be considered for inclusion in the program.