

*(To be completed by Parent/Guardian and Trained Designated School Personnel)*

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**The Home Language Survey (HLS)**

- Identifies a student whose home language is not English; and,
- Identifies a student who will be tested on the skills of listening, speaking, reading and writing in English because another language other than English is spoken at home.

**This information cannot be used for immigration matters or reported to immigration authorities.**

Parents/Guardians/Family Members:

- The English proficiency test determines if your student needs a language support services program along with the regular education program.
  - Your child is entitled to these language support services as a civil right.
1. If the student was not born in the United States, what date was the student enrolled in a U.S. school?  
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  2. What was the first language the student learned to speak? \_\_\_\_\_
  3. Which language does your child most frequently speak at home? \_\_\_\_\_
  4. Which language do adults in your home most frequently use when speaking with your child?  
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  5. Which language(s) does your child currently understand or speak? (Please do not include Dual Language Immersion Programs) \_\_\_\_\_
  6. Does your family come from a refugee background? \_\_\_\_\_
  7. What language do you prefer for school-to-home information? \_\_\_\_\_
  8. Has this student fled from another country to resettle due to political, religious and/or social persecution?  
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  9. Do you, as a parent, work in agriculture, forestry, meat processing plants, dairy or fisheries, AND have moved to find temporary or seasonal work? \_\_\_\_\_

School Responsibilities:

1. At registration, Utah uses a standard form of the Home Language Survey (HLS) that identifies a student with a language other than English, or who comes from an environment where a non-English language is dominant.
2. Students must be tested for services within 30 days of registration or within two weeks of entry into school, if during the year.