



Bristol Township School District

Each year the Pennsylvania Department of Education (PDE) requires the School District to complete a report which sorts data on all students by grade, homeroom, age and race/ethnic categories. Under the new guidelines provided by the U.S. Department of Education schools are required to collect the race/ethnic data by using the following two question format. **Please answer the first question by choosing a Yes or No answer. The second question asks you to select a racial/ethnic group that best describes your child's ethnic/racial background.**

(1) Is the child Hispanic/Latino/Spanish? _____ Yes _____ No
(Hispanic or Latino means a person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central America or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.) (4)

(2) Please select one or more races from the following five racial groups that best describe your child's ethnic/racial background.

___ **(A) American Indian or Alaska Native:** A Person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America) and who maintains a tribal affiliation or community attachment. (1)

___ **(B) Asian:** A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia or the Indian subcontinent including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand and Vietnam. (9)

___ **(C) Black or African American:** A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa. (3)

___ **(D) Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander:** A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa or other Pacific Islands. (10)

___ **(E) White:** A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East or North Africa. (5)

Student's Name _____ Grade _____ Date of Birth _____

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____