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PLEASE ATTACH ALL PREVIOUS ASSESSMENT REPORTS

Date of submission

Date of completion

Please think carefully about your child's development and describe behaviours that are brought to mind when you answer these questions:

- Were these different from other children you know?
- Were there occasions when these behaviours made if difficult to cope as a family?
- Did you find solutions which helped to deal with any problem behaviours?

The questions are designed to assist in formulating a picture of your child and your child's development. Take time to think about the questions. Some may not apply to your child, but if they do, please answer as fully as possible.

DETAILS OF CHILD TO BE ASSESSED

(kindly submit a low res photo of your child in jpeg or png format)

	Personal	
Surname		
Full First Name		
Date of Birth	ID Numb	per
Age	Gender	
Home Language		
Religion		
Present Medication and Dosage		
Street Address		
Why are you seeking assessment	for your child?	

Medical Aid Details							
Medical Aid							
Membership Nun	nber						
Medical Aid Pack							
Dependant Code							
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		School F					
		Current S	School				
Name of Current							
School's Telepho							
Principal's Name							
Class Teacher's	Name						
Teacher's Teleph	none Number						
Teacher's Email	Address						
Present Grade							
Grades Repeated							
Language of Inst Eng/Afr/Zulu							
Do you give us p your child's curre	ermission to contact ent school?						
		Schools A	ttended				
Facility	Name		Month & Year of entry	Child's Age	Month and Year of exit		
Crèche							
Crèche Pre-primary							
Pre-primary							
Pre-primary Primary School High School							
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	ently attending. How many children are there in his/her er teacher? Are you happy with the attention he/she
Pare	ntal Information
	Parent
Title And Surname	
First Name	
ID Number	
Present Occupation	
Nationality	
Name of Business/ Employer	
Business/ Employer Address	
Business/ Employer Telephone Number	
Cell Phone Number	
Home Telephone Number	
Email Address	
Residential Address	
Postal Address	
Previous occupations over your child's lifespan	
Have any of these jobs necessitated long absences from home?	
	Parent
Title And Surname	
First Name	
ID Number	
Present Occupation	
Nationality	
Name of Business	
Business Address	
Business Telephone Number	
Cell Phone Number	
Home Telephone Number	
Email Address	
Residential Address	
Postal Address	
Previous occupations over child's lifespan	
Have any of these jobs necessitated long absences from home?	

Marital Status									
Single	Married		Divorced			Separated	7	Widowed	
Please indicate the legal parent recipient/s of all assessment related documentation									
Is this child:	Biological		F	ostered			Adop	ted	
		Siblin	gs (In Ch	nronologica	I Age)			
Name	Α.	~~		School		Class	Δα	ademic progre	SS
Name	A	ge	•	3011001		Olass	7.0	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Name	A	ge		3011001		Oluss	A		
Name	A	ge		3011001		Olugg	Ac		
Name	A	ge		SCHOOL		Oluss	7.0		
Name	A	ge		SCHOOL		Oluss			
Position of child to						Ciaco			

How do you "see" your chi	ld?	
It is very important that, where possible, each parent fill in this section information. This is not the place to discuss your present concerns (see	separately as it co	
as he/she appears to you.		
Parent's Description		
Parent's Description		
Parent's Description		
Other Significant Person's Description (Au Pair/ Grandpare	nt etc.)	
Your child now – at home	<u>e</u>	
(Please select 🛛 the correct answer)		
Sleep		
Restless Regular Nightmares Bedwe	tting	pwalking 🗌
Eating		
Good appetite Fussy eater		
Habits		
	Other	T
Can your child concentrate for an extended period of time;e.g.,	Yes	No 🗌
playing, watching TV?	Vos 🗆	No \square
Do you have to continually repeat instructions?	Yes	No 📙

Does your child get distracted	easily?		Yes 🗌	No 🗌		
How do you rate the following	•					
Concentration	Good	Average		Poor		
Activity level	Overactive	Normal		Poor		
Talks	Too much	Average		Too Little		
Fidgets	A lot	A little		Not at all		
Socially: (at home)						
Does he/she prefer to play alo	ne?		Yes 🗌	No 🗌		
Does he/she like to have the c	ompany of friends?		Yes 🗌	No 🗌		
Does he/she interact well with	friends?		Yes 🗌	No 🗌		
What age group does he/she p	orefer to play with?	Older	Younger	Both		
How does he/she interact with	family members?			•		
	•					
How does he/she interact with	other adults?					
Present Concerns						
Please state person and/or org	ganisation who made the	referral; e	.g school, d	octor, teacher,		
laining mend of other						
Please state your reasons for	seeking help		•			
Please give details of your concerns. What do you think are the reasons for these problems and						
Please give details of your con what are the contributing factor		k are the r	easons for th	ese problems and		

			Pa	rent	s' E	ducation					
Parent											
Primary Education											
High School											
Tertiary Education											
Parent											
Primary Education											
High School											
Tertiary Education											
·				Fami	ily H	listory					
Comment on any factors y learning difficulties. Please			siç	gnifica	ınt wi	thin the family, e.g.,	physica	al an	d h	ealth c	r
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Did either parent experience		cent	rat		ficult		\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \			NI-	
Parent	Yes			No		Parent	Yes	Ш		No	
Now, as an adult, do you fi	nd it c	difficu	ılt	to sus	tain a	attention?					
Parent	Yes	Γ	1	No		Parent	Yes	П		No	
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Did either parent experience	e anv	kind	l of	learn	ina d	ifficulties at school?	Please	spe	cifv		
Parent	Yes		7	No		Parent	Yes		_	No	П
									I		
Did either parent or extend	ed far	nily r	ne	mber (broth	ner, cousin, etc) expe	rience	a rea	adin	g or	
spelling problem?											
What parent's side?	Yes			No		What parent's side?	Yes			No	
Does anyone in the family		a sp <u>e</u>	ec		guage		1	_			_
What parent's side?	Yes			No		What parent's side?	Yes	Ш		No	
Is your child left handed?							Yes	П		No	П
Is any other family membe	r left h	nande	ed?	?			1				
What parent's side?	Yes			No		What parent's side?	Yes			No	
•						•	•				
Has the child or the family hijacking, violence. etc? Pl					ny tra	auma, e.g., death of a	loved	one,	, div	orce,	
-											

Family Relationship (Plea.	se describe the following	g)
Marital relationship		
Relationship of child with parent		
Relationship of child with parent		
pulled the		
Relationship of child with siblings		
Relationship of child with siblings		
Other significant role players		
Discipline		
Who disciplines at home? Is it consistent?	Parent Yes	Parent No
What discipline problems do you experience with you		
(Please specify below)		

Previous Assessments Consultation with / referral to Educational or Health Professionals

Please state whether your child has had any previous testing (eg. psychological, educational) and if so, by whom and when? It is important for the assessor to know what tests have been done on your child. Some may not be repeated as they require a set period before retesting may occur.

	Paediatrician	
Name and Surname		
Contact Number		Consultation Date
Email Address		
Report Attached	Yes	No 🗌
Reason		
Findings		
Medication		
	Neurologist	
Name and Surname		
Contact Number		Consultation Date
Email Address		
Report Attached	Yes	No 🗌
Reason		
Findings		
Medication		
	Psychiatrist	
Name and Surname		
Contact Number		Consultation Date
Email Address		
Report Attached	Yes	No 🗌
Reason		
Findings		
Medication		

			Occupa	tional Ther	apist			
Name and Surname								
Contact Number						Therap	y Date	
Email Address								
Report Attached		Yes [No		
Is therapy currently underway		ne of Occupational Therapist / consulting professional						
Recommendations								
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Name and Surname			<u> </u>	gaage	.o. up.o.			
Contact Number						Therap	v Date	
Email Address						morap	y Duto	
Report Attached		Yes				No		
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currently	16 /							
underway	If no, term	ination	date and	l reasons				
Recommendations								
			Phy	siotherapis	st			
Name and Surname								
Contact Number						Therap	y Date	
Email Address								
Report Attached		Yes				No		
Is therapy	If yes, nar	ne of co	onsulting	professiona	al			
currently underway	If no, term	ination	date and	l reasons				
Recommendations								
			Reme	dial Therap	oist			
Name and Surname								
Contact Number						Therap	y Date	
Email Address								
Report Attached		Yes				No		
Is therapy	If yes, nar	ne of R	emedial [*]	Therapist /	consulti	ng profe	ssional	
currently underway	If no, term	ination	date and	l reasons				
Recommendations								

School Psychologist Service					
Name					
Contact Number	Therapy Date				
Email Address					
Reason					
Findings					

We will give you a letter to invite the above therapists to the Case Conference following our assessment. Their attendance is only on your request.

Developmental History

Pregnancy and	Birth		
Please select the appropriate column and comment.			
PREGNANCY	Yes	No	Comment
Were there any miscarriages/still births?			
Was the baby planned?			
Had you been married when the baby was born? If			
yes, for how long?			
Did the mother have physical and/or emotional			
problems during pregnancy; e.g., flu, infections,			
unusual tension or trauma? If so, please elaborate.			
Were any medications taken during the pregnancy?			
If yes, what were they?			
Were X-rays and scans taken?			
If yes, how many?			
Did the mother smoke during pregnancy?			
Did the mother consume alcohol during pregnancy?			
BIRTH	Yes	No	Comment
Please state whether your baby was premature, full			
term or post-mature.			
Where was the baby born?			
Was there a prolonged labour?			
Was there any foetal distress?			
Forceps used?			
Cord around neck?			
Cesarean section? Why?			
Was an incubator used? For how long?			
Could parents touch baby in the incubator?		Ш	
What was the Apgar rating?			
What was the Apgar rating:	At 1 r	ninute?	? At 5 minutes?
What was the birth weight?	/	/	
Were there breathing difficulties? Was oxygen			
administered?			
Initial jaundice? Was the baby put under lights?			
For how long?			
Did the parent and baby go home together?			
If not, did the parent visit daily? How long did baby			
remain in hospital?			
Did the parent breast feed at hospital or express			
milk to take it into the hospital?			
Post natal depression? For how long? Was any			
treatment necessary? Were there any problems in			
bonding?			

			Infa	ncy				
	Did your	baby experience			Yes	No	Cor	nment
How in Did ye	advised? _ many formu ou stick rig	idly to 4 hour feedir	ng or di	id				
	eed on dem	and?						
Colic Was there ex Did it last 3 i How did this	months or v	vas it longer?	_					
Disturbed Si	leep Patteri	าร						
Eczema, ast								
Did you noti be floppy or		mes your baby seei	med to					
When did yo	u start toile	et training?			1	1		
When was s	he dry duri	ng the day?			1	1		
When was s	he dry duri	ng the night?			1	1		
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Baby's Beha	viour (plea	se select appropriate						T
Difficult	Content	Sleepy aggression	Hea bang			mper trums □	Rocking	Breath holding
		Emotio	nal D	evel	opmei	nt		
In his fi	rst three ye	ars, did your child :	:	Yes	No		Comm	ent
Suck a dumi	my?							
Bite his/her	nails?							
Suck his/her	thumb?							
Have a spec	ial toy/blan	ket?						
Masturbate I with this?	heavily? If y	es, how did you de	al					
Hair pluck?	Where?							
Head bang?								
Have specifi realistic orig		hat are they? Is ther	re a					
the light on?	•	s the child sleep wit						
		o you deal with thes						
	i? In the ea	Could you say <u>whe</u> rly hours or later? Is out in bed?						
Soiling prob								

Comment on a	ny of th	ie above l	nabits that s	till co	ntinu	ıe						
Are these, in y	our opii	nion, relat	ted to schoo	l? If n	ot, w	vhat do yo	ou think	cai	uses th	is at h	ome?	
Is your child ea	acily fru	etrated?					Yes	[No	,	
Is he/she over			otional?	Over	rlv Se	ensitive			<u> </u>		<u>, </u>	<u> </u>
						story						
Please give the	followin	a details:	1110	aroar		3.10. y						
Details		9	Name		ſ	Date			Comi	ments	}	
Details			Hailie			Date	(inc	cludi	ng chang	ges in b	ehavio	ur)
Childhood illn	esses											
Operations												
Allergies												
Has your child I paediatrician?	had a <i>th</i>	orough me	edical examin	nation i	recer	ntly by a			Yes		No	
If yes, please f	ill in the	following	 g									
By whom			•									
When												
What were the	finding	s?										
			Recor	d of	Med	dication						
Year			medication dosage			Prescribe	ed by		Behavi	oural	chang	es

Please attach relevant reports for the below testing so as to avoid any delay regarding assessments. **Auditory System - HEARING TEST** By whom **Date Findings** Does your child: Yes Comment No Seem to hear sounds unnoticed by other children/adults? • Seem to be very sensitive to sounds, eg, refrigerator, fluorescent lights, heaters? • Seem confused as to the direction from which a sound comes? Visual System - EYE TEST By whom **Date Findings** Does your child: Yes Comment No Have a diagnosed visual defect? If yes, how has this been treated/corrected? Wear glasses? If yes, please ensure that they are brought with to the assessments Seem to have difficulty following a moving object? Make reversals when copying? Appear to be sensitive to light/sunlight? Resist having his/her eyes closed/covered? Blink his/her eyes continuously? Are his/her eyes continually red/watery? Tend to work with his/her head close to the table? Become excited/confused when confronted by a variety of visual stimuli/objects? **Motor Milestones** Approximately when did the following occur? Age/Comment (If you cannot recall exact ages, did it appear to be the same as other children or earlier or later?) smile hold head up roll over sit by himself without help crawl in what way? for how long did he/she crawl? 0 walk ride a tricycle ride a bicycle without "fairy" wheels

Did your child use a walking ring? If yes, at what age did the child start using it? At what age did the child stop using it? For how long each day was he/she in it?	es 🗌 No		
Did your child use a jolly jumper?	Y	es 🗌 N	o 🗌
Does your child enjoy jungle gym equipment and other outdoor activities?	Y	es 🗌 N	o 🗌
Functional Tasks:	Yes	No	Age/Comment
Does your child dress/undress him/herself?			
Does your child experience difficulty with shoelaces or buttons, putting on a T-shirt or sweater?			
Is your child a messy eater?			
Where does your child eat? at the table, ☐ with the family ☐ or alone? ☐	At wha	at time?	
Does your child bath independently?			
Brush teeth independently?			
Use the toilet independently?			
Sensorimotor History:	. — .		
If there have been noteworthy changes or alteration these as this could help the therapist.	s in the	followin	g behaviours, please comment on
Tactile sensation - does your child :	Yes	No	Comment
Dislike being touched?			
Prefer to touch than to be touched?			
Dislike being cuddled/hugged?			
Seem irritable when held?			
 Have a strong need to touch people, objects and/or animals? 			
 Seem easily irritated or enraged when touched by siblings or playmates? 			
 Frequently push/bump other children (eg. when standing in a line)? 			
 Seem to pick fights at school (eg. standing in line, on the playground)? 			
 Isolate him/herself from other children? 			
 React negatively to the feel of new clothes/labels on collars/textures of clothes? 			
 Seem unaware of excessive temperature (eg. wear a sweater in summer?) 			
 Dislike having hair and/or face washed? 			
Dislike having a haircut?			
Object strongly to having his/her nails cut?			
 Dislike being dirty or sticky? Will he/she play with clay, mud, etc.? 			
 Avoid taking off his/her shoes and walking barefoot on grass, sand, etc.? 			

Seem extremely brave or almost unaware of painful experiences, eg, stitches, injections, bruises, cuts?			
Taste and Smell - does your child :	Yes	No	Comment
Identify odours?			
Ignore/react strongly to bad smells?			
 Is your child overly sensitive to different smells? 			
Refuse to try new foods?			
 dislike food or certain textures (eg, rough, food that needs to be chewed, sherbet) 			
 Only eat foods that are smooth with no lumps? 			
 Act as if all foods taste the same? 			
 Explore the environment by tasting/putting everything into his/her mouth? 			
Refuse to co-operate at the dentist?			
Dislike brushing teeth?			
Vestibular - does your child :	Yes	No	Comment
Enjoy being rocked?			
 Is/was your child scared when you playfully throw/threw him/her up in the air and catch/caught him/her? 			
Seem fearful of space, eg, going up and down stairs, escalators, lifts, etc.?			
 Appear to be clumsy and often bump into things and/or fall down? 			
 Enjoy fast moving, rolling, spinning movements and/or rides? 			
 Tend to avoid balance activities such as climbing over chairs, balance beams? 			
 Avoid jungle gyms and outdoor climbing activities? 			
Dislike riding on an adult's shoulders?			
Get car sick easily?			
 Are your child's movements slow, plodding and/or deliberate? 			
-ordination - does your child :	Yes	No	Comment
 Seem to be in perpetual motion from the time he/she wakes until bedtime? 			
 Manipulate small objects with his/her fingers? 			
 Seem accident prone, ie, have frequent bumps, bruises, scratches? 			
Eat in a sloppy manner?			
 Does he/she use a spoon, knife, fork correctly? 			
 Have difficulty with pencil activities, eg, colouring in, outlining? 			
Appear to tire easily?			

			
 Has your child established a consistent hand dominance? Which hand does he/she prefer? 			
Seem to ignore one side of the body?Which side?			
 Appear to have difficulty with tasks requiring a sequence of movements, eg, dressing? 			
 Have noticeable tongue movements when concentrating hard? 			
 Appear to be stronger or weaker than other children of a similar age? 			
 frequently grasp objects too loosely or too tight 			
Play - does your child :	Yes	No	Comment
 Play in a constructive or destructive manner? 			
 Play out of his/her own volition/initiative or does he/she need to be constantly guided/led? 			
 Is he/she organised in his/her approach to an activity/task or does he/she work in a haphazard manner? 			
 Use the toys/equipment appropriately for his/her age? 			
 When playing, will he/she first attempt the game or will he/she rather watch others before attempting it him/herself? 			
 Are your child's movements flowing or is there poor judgement of timing? 			
 First make something and only thereafter decide what it is? 			
Is your child's play repetitive or varied?			
 take risks or does he/she prefer to "play it safe" 			
Any other important aspects of development when	nich you	feel w	ould assist the therapist:
Please ensure that your child wears "takk Occupational Th			

Speech-Langu	age Milesto	nes		
Medica	l History			
Has your child suffered from ear infections?	Never	Seld	om	Frequently
0 – 3 years				
3 – 6 years			1	
Above 6 years			1	
When was the last ear infection?	<u> </u>		<u>-</u> 1	<u> </u>
By whom was it treated and how? (complete belo	ow)			
Whom				
Is there a speech problem within the family? Yes	No Pleas	e give full d	etails.	
Speech-Language Milestones				
Did your baby cry at birth?		Yes		No 📙
Was s/he an abnormally quiet baby? (not just co	ntented)	Yes		No 📙
Did your baby respond to sounds?		Yes		No 📗
Was s/he able to imitate sounds?		Yes		No 📙
Please give approximate dates, e.g., 11 months,	to the following	: Dates	;	
Babbling				
First Words				
Sentences				
	resent	Vac		No 🗆
Does your child show understanding when spok What makes you certain of this?	entor	Yes		No L
What makes you certain or ans:				
How do you rate your child's vocabulary in comp	parison with oth	ers of his/	her age?)
When your child speaks		T	_	
does s/he express himself fluently?		Yes	<u> </u>	No 📙
in long sentences?		Yes	<u> </u>	No 📙
with a good vocabulary?		Yes	<u> </u>	No 📙
is s/he easily understood by others?		Yes		No 🗌

RELEASE FORM

PREVIOUS ASSESSMENT REPORTS SHOULD ACCOMPANY THIS QUESTIONNAIRE. ONLY IN SIGNING THIS FORM YOU GIVE US PERMISSION TO CONTINUE WITH THE PROCESS

In order that we can provide you and your child with the maximum assistance, it is important that we have as much information as possible concerning the developmental history of your child. This includes information concerning difficulties experienced by your child as well as results of any medical, psychological or any other professional testing. You are entitled to seek an assessment even if your child is currently in therapy with another therapist; however, we suggest that to open lines of communication between the professionals only benefits the child being assessed.

To obtain reports on the results of any tests, or to forward any information, we require your permission in writing. We assure you that all information on your family and your child will be kept strictly confidential. It is important for the assessor to know what tests have been done on your child as some may not be repeated, or they may require a set period before retesting may occur.

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1)	I hereby authorise the release of any information with regard to (name of child) to Bellavista S.E.E.K.'s personnel.
2)	I declare that all the information provided is to the best of my knowledge, accurate and true.
3)	I note and accept the Privacy Policy of Bellavista School as attached to this release document.
4)	I note that if my child is assessed at Bellavista S.E.E.K. my child is prioritised on the Bellavista candidate list should placement be appropriate.

SIGNED:	in the capacity of parent or guardian.
PARENT FULL NAME:	DATE:
SIGNED:	in the capacity of parent or guardian.
PARENT FULL NAME:	DATE:
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PAYMENT RE	QUIREMENTS
Payment of R900.00 administrative fee	
Payment by EFT to:	Bellavista School
Bank:	Standard Bank
Branch:	Rosebank Branch
Branch Code:	004305
Account Number:	001986686
Please reference your payment as follows:	Child's name / admin fee
Proof of payment to be provided	

Teacher Checklist

Please share with us some of your observations of the child's general learning and reading behaviours. In compliance with the **Protection of Private Information Act 4 of 2013**, your input is secured with the express permission of the the parents/ guardians seeking application for assessment at Bellavista S.E.E.K. and/or placement at Bellavista School for their child. This document, and the information held herein, will only be used for the purpose of understanding the needs of the child in terms of this application. It will be stored in the secured electronic archives of Bellavista School and kept for three years following the application, whereafter this record will be deleted by the Information Officer at the school, or her delegate.

Area	Characteristics / Behaviour					
General /	Does the child forget the right equipment for a task?	Yes	No			
Organisational	Does the child process instructions slowly/one at a time?	Yes	No			
	Does the child have concentration difficulties?	Yes	No			
	Does the child struggle to carry out tasks in order?	Yes	No			
	Does child struggle to remember concepts from one lesson to the next?	Yes	No			
Listening	Does the child listen well?	Yes	No			
Comprehension	Does the child participate in oral discussion?	Yes	No			
	Is oral language stronger than written language?	Yes	No			
Literacy /	Does the child dislike reading?	Yes	No			
Reading	Does the child lose his/her place frequently?	Yes	No			
	Does the child have poor letter-sound correspondence?	Yes	No			
	Does the child confuse words that look similar?	Yes	No			
	Does the child confuse position of letters (e.g. was/saw)?	Yes	No			
	Does the child reverse/inverts letters (e.g. b/d, n/u)?	Yes	No			
	Does the child leave out words?	Yes	No			
	Does the child sound out words, making reading slow?	Yes	No			
Writing	Does the child struggle to sequence work?	Yes	No			
	Does the child have good ideas, but can't write it down?	Yes	No			
	Are there many crossings out?	Yes	No			
	Is the child's written work incomplete?	Yes	No			
	Does the child write slowly?	Yes	No			
	Does the child have poor handwriting?	Yes	No			
	Does the child reverse/inverse letters (b/d, m/w, p/q)?	Yes	No			
	Is the writing poorly poorly spaced?	Yes	No			
	Does spelling show poor sound-symbol correspondence?	Yes	No			
Maths /	Does the child have difficulties in mental math work?	Yes	No			
Numeracy	 Is there a problem remembering math times tables? 	Yes	No			
	• Does the child confuse/reverse numbers (e.g. 6/9, 3/5)?	Yes	No			
	Do reading difficulties hinder understanding of questions?	Yes	No			
Attitude to	Does the child prefer oral work more than reading/writing?	Yes	No			
learning /	Does the child have low self-esteem re schoolwork?	Yes	No			
classroom	Has the child developed behaviour like clown/ withdrawn?	Yes	No			
tasks	Does the child copy from others instead of trying?	Yes	No			
	Is the child tired often because of extra effort?	Yes	No			
	Does the child perform unevenly from day to day?	Yes	No			
Difficulties	Identify specific difficulties not mentioned above that the child may experience in	the class	room			
Strengths	Identify any areas where there is evidence of average / high ability / knowledge	skills				

Adapted from: Phillips, Kelly and Symes (2013: 49 – 50)

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Data protection and disclosure of information

As part of our day-to-day business of providing education and therapeutic intervention (the "Services"), we need to collect personal information from our clients and potential clients to ensure that we can meet their needs for the provision of information about the Services. Your privacy is important to us and it is our policy to respect the confidentiality of information and the privacy of individuals. This notice outlines how we manage your personal information and details your rights in respect of our processing of your personal information. We process your information in terms of our **Protection of Information Policy** and **Retention of Data Policy**. To review same, kindly send a request to the Information Officer via: Cameron.doyle@bellavistaschool.co.za Defined terms herein, where not herein defined, are defined within the **Protection of Personal Information Act**, **2013** (as may be amended or substituted from time to time) ("**POPIA**").

Who are we?

This Privacy Notice applies to the processing activities of **Bellavista School** ("SCHOOL" a special needs primary school) is the Responsible Party (and Operator in certain instances) for the processing of your Personal Information. Any reference to 'us', 'our', 'we' in this Privacy Notice is a reference to Bellavista School. Similarly, any reference to 'you', 'your', 'yours' or 'yourself' in this Privacy Notice is a reference to any of our clients and potential clients as a Data Subject, or a Competent Person in respect of such client and potential client that is incompetent, such as a minor child. Our Privacy Notice will be reviewed from time to time to take account of new obligations and technology, changes to our operations and practices, and to make sure it remains appropriate to the changing environment.

What kind of Personal Information do we collect?

We collect information necessary to fulfil our obligations to our clients in the course of providing the Services. We may collect the following types of information about you: Name, address and contact details, date of birth and gender, bank details, education and qualifications, employment details, family details, medical aid details, lifestyle and social circumstances, location data, any other similar information. On occasion, the following sensitive Personal Information may be obtained: physical or mental health details, racial or ethnic origin, religious or philosophical beliefs, sexual orientation, genetic data, biometric data. We will only obtain and process this information with your express consent as set out in terms of the relevant contractual terms.

Much of this information is collected in order to establish and assess the reasons for a referral to us as well as whether we can and should provide the Services to you. If you chose not to provide the information required, we may not be able to provide you with the requested product or service.

If you provide us with any Personal Information relating to a third party (e.g. information of your spouse, children, parents, and/or employees), by submitting such information to us, **you represent to us that you have obtained their consent and/or are a Competent Person in respect to the provision of such Personal Information.**

The main activities of Bellavista School and Bellavista S.E.E.K. are the provision of special needs education (including assessment, teaching and learning, and therapeutic intervention. In this respect, by submitting Personal Information (including sensitive personal information) to Bellavista School, you expressly provide your informed consent for the collection, processing and storage of such minor child's Personal Information in respect of such minor child and confirm that you are duly authorised to do so as a Competent Person.

How is the Personal Information obtained?

We obtain this information in a number of ways, for example through the provision of intake assessments, interviews with you, relevant and related educators, relevant and related health care professionals, family members, questionnaires, reports etc. as well as from information provided in the course of ongoing services and communication. Additionally, we may obtain Personal Information about you through your use of our websites, apps, or using cookies on our websites, in particular by recording your activity and which pages you look at on our websites (please see below on Cookies).

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We may record any communications with you including electronic (including video conference), by telephone, in person or otherwise, which will constitute evidence of the communications between us. This information is collected in compliance with our regulatory duties in relation to our record keeping obligations. It may or may not be retrievable. Such conversations may be recorded without the use of a warning tone or any other further notice. Further, if you visit any of our offices or premises, we may have CCTV, which may record your image and conversations which you acknowledge, understand and accept.

What Lawful Basis do we rely on?

We may be required to collect and use certain types of Personal Information to comply with the requirements of the law and/or regulations, however we are committed to processing all personal information in accordance with POPIA and any other relevant data protection laws and codes of conduct (herein collectively referred to as "the data protection laws") which are applicable to Bellavista School and its business.

The data protection laws allow us to only process your data for certain reasons:

- to perform a contract that we are party to;
- to carry out legally required duties;
- for us to carry out our legitimate interests;
- where we obtain your consent;
- to protect your interests; and
- where something is done in the public interest.

All the processing carried out by us falls into the permitted reasons, for example; our use of your personal information in order to comply with our obligations under contract. This includes where a contract is not yet signed but you have requested us to take action as a first step (e.g. provide details of our services).

Consent

Where our use of your personal information requires consent, such consent will be provided explicitly by you as set out herein, in the Terms & Conditions entered into by you with Bellavista School or as otherwise provided or procured.

If we rely on your consent as our legal basis for processing your personal information, you then have the right to withdraw that consent at any time by contacting us using the contact details set out in this Privacy Notice; however, the withdrawal of consent may be limited by law or contract or subject to the completing of a relevant service or other similar and related activity. Withdrawal of consent will likely necessitate the termination of services.

We use **WhatsApp** for communication, which has embedded **end-to-end encryption** that ensures only the persons you're communicating with can read or listen to what is sent, and nobody in between, not even WhatsApp. We use **Google Workspace** (formerly "GSuite") which is designed to meet stringent privacy and security standards based on industry best practices. We also utilise **Microsoft Teams** and **Zoom**. Further information can be provided on request or researched via their respective websites. You consent to us processing personal information via these channels as well as telephonic communication.

What do we do with the personal information we obtain?

We may use information held about you in the following ways:

- to provide you with any services and/or information you request from us (which includes carrying out any obligations arising from any contracts entered into between you and us);
- to notify you about changes to our services;
- to provide you with information by post, email, telephone or otherwise about products and services of a similar nature to those you have previously purchased or expressed an interest in which are offered Bellavista School and which we think may be of interest to you. You have the right to ask us not to process your personal information for marketing purposes. You can exercise your right to prevent such processing by contacting us by phone or email using the details in the 'Contact us' section below. You can unsubscribe from emails by following the unsubscribe instructions included in every email; alternatively, on request to the Information Officer.
- to administer our sites and for internal operations, including troubleshooting, data analysis, load management, testing, research, statistical and survey purposes;
- to improve our sites to ensure that content is presented in the most effective manner for you and for your device;

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- to measure or understand the effectiveness of content we serve to you and others, and to deliver relevant content to you;
- for the purposes of providing services such as 'most popular' information on our site;
- to deliver targeted advertisements to you and others as you browse the internet;
- to obtain your feedback on a product, service or our sites via a third party appointed by us;
- to allow you to participate in interactive features of our sites, when you choose to do so; and
- as part of our efforts to keep our sites safe and secure.

Disclosure of your personal information

We may share the Personal Information we hold about you across Bellavista School to enable us to better understand your needs and run your accounts in the efficient way that you expect. Your Personal Information may also be used for customer modelling, statistical and trend analysis, with the aim of developing and improving our products and services.

We will never sell, trade, or rent your Personal Information to others; however, we may share your information with selected third parties including:

- our service providers, suppliers and sub-contractors for the performance of any contract we have entered into with them. They may then process this data on our behalf to help run some of our internal business operations, for example IT services.
- governmental or judicial bodies or agencies to comply with our legal and regulatory obligations;
- non-affiliated companies may sometimes be used to provide certain services such as preparing and mailing reports, account statements and other information, conducting research on client satisfaction;
- advertisers and advertising networks that require the data to select and serve adverts about our services to you
 and others. It will only be passed to third party advertisers in order to provide services on behalf of Bellavista
 School.
- data, service and software providers that assist us in the improvement and optimisation of our sites;

Where we share your data with third parties we ensure that your data is held securely and in line with applicable legislation.

How we store Personal Information

Safeguarding the privacy of your information is important to us, whether you interact with us personally, by phone, by mail, over the internet or any other electronic medium.

We hold Personal Information in a combination of secure computer storage facilities and paper-based files and other records and take steps to protect the Personal Information we hold from misuse, loss, unauthorised access, modification or disclosure.

When we consider that Personal Information is no longer needed, we will remove any details that will identify you or we will securely destroy the records. However, we may need to maintain records for a significant period of time in line with our regulatory obligations.

If we hold any Personal Information in the form of a recorded communication, by telephone, electronic, in person or otherwise in relation to our regulatory obligations as detailed above, this information will be held in line with local regulatory requirements which will generally be until the minor child turns twenty-one years old.

Where you have opted out of receiving marketing communication we will hold your details on our suppression list so that we know you do not want to receive these communications.

The Retention of Documents Policy contains further information on this and is available on request.

Management and Safeguarding of Personal Information

We always take appropriate technical and organisational measures to ensure that your information is secure. In particular, we train our employees who handle Personal Information to respect the confidentiality of customer information and the privacy of individuals. We regard breaches of your privacy very seriously and will impose appropriate penalties, including dismissal where necessary. We have appointed an Information Officer to ensure that

our management of Personal Information is in accordance with this Privacy Notice, applicable policies, and the applicable legislation.

The internet is an open medium and we cannot guarantee that any information you send to us by email or via our sites will not be intercepted or tampered with; any transmission is **at your own risk**. Once we have received your information, we will use appropriate procedures and security features to prevent unauthorised access.

Your rights as a data subject

The data protection laws give you certain rights in relation to the data we hold on you. These are:

- **the right to be notified.** This means that we must tell you how we use your Personal Information, and this is the purpose of this Privacy Notice;
- **the right of access.** You have the right to access the Personal Information that we hold on you. To do so, you should make a subject access request;
- the right for any inaccuracies to be corrected. If any Personal Information that we hold about you is incomplete or inaccurate, you are able to require us to correct it;
- the right to have information deleted. If you would like us to stop processing your Personal Information, you have the right to ask us to delete it from our systems where you believe there is no reason for us to continue processing it;
- the right to restrict the processing of the Personal Information. For example, if you believe the Personal Information we hold is incorrect, we will stop processing it (whilst still holding it) until we have ensured that it is correct:
- the right to portability. You may transfer the Personal Information that we hold on you for your own purposes;
- **the right to object to the inclusion of any information**. You have the right to object to the way we use your Personal Information where we are using it for our legitimate interests;
- the right to regulate any automated decision-making and profiling of Personal Information. You have a right not to be subject to automated decision making in way that adversely affects your legal rights.

Where you have provided consent to our use of your Personal Information, you also have the unrestricted right to withdraw that consent at any time subject to contractual obligations. Withdrawing your consent means that we will stop processing the Personal Information that you had previously given us consent to use. There will be no consequences for withdrawing your consent; however, in some cases, we may continue to store and use the Personal Information where so permitted by having a legitimate reason for doing so or where required by law, regulation or by any other competent authorities. We may also not be able to continue our services to you.

You can read more about these rights within section 5 of POPIA.

Transfers of Personal Information outside of South Africa

Your data may be transferred to, stored at, and processed at a destination outside of South Africa by our service providers (eg. Google Workspace and WhatsApp). By submitting your Personal Information, **you agree to this transfer, storing or processing.** We will take all steps reasonably necessary to ensure that your data is treated securely and in accordance with applicable legislation or other relevant and appropriate laws.

Links to external websites

Our sites may, from time to time, contain links to and from the websites of our partner networks, advertisers and affiliates. If you follow a link to any of these websites, please note that these websites have their own privacy policies and that we do not accept any responsibility or liability for these policies or how such websites collect and use your data. Please check these policies before you submit any Personal Information to these websites.

Access to Personal Information about you

You have the right to request a copy of the Personal Information we hold about you. If you would like a copy of some or all of this information you may contact us as follows:

Information officer contact details

Email address: secretary@bellavistaschool.co.za

Telephone number/s: 011 788 5454

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Bellavista School's details

Physical address: 35 Wingfield Avenue, Birdhaven, Johannesburg

Email address: secretary@bellavistaschool.co.za

Contact telephone number/s: 0117885454

If any of the information we hold is inaccurate, you can ask us to make any necessary amendments.

Updates to the Privacy Notice

We reserve the right to update this Notice to reflect any legal changes or changes to the way in which we process your Personal Information. The updated Notice will be delivered to you electronically to the details we hold on file and/or published on our website and it will come into effect at the time of publication generally.

Contact Us

If you have any queries regarding privacy issues or the content of this Privacy Notice, you can email us using the contact details provided above.

What if you have a complaint?

If you have a concern about any aspect of our privacy practices, you can make a complaint. This will be acted upon promptly. To make a complaint, please contact us via one of the methods set above. **You undertake to first make a good faith attempt to resolve the same with Bellavista School**. If you are not first satisfied with our response to your complaint, you have the right to then lodge a complaint with our supervisory authority, the Information Regulator. You can find details about how to do this on their website:

Home I InfoRegSA.

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