



# Bellevue Discovery Preschool

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## GRASSHOPPERS & DRAGONFLIES 2019-2020 ADMISSIONS APPLICATION



Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Last Nickname

Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_  
Month - Day - Year

PLEASE ATTACH A SMALL PHOTO OF YOUR CHILD TO THIS APPLICATION 😊

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Occupation/Employer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Occupation/Employer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sibling Name(s), Age(s), and School(s)

- Grasshopper applicants may submit a Teacher Questionnaire from an activity class teacher if they have not attended preschool.
- Dragonflies applicants must submit either a Teacher Questionnaire or progress report from a preschool teacher.
- Teacher Questionnaires need to arrive before Child Visit Day on February 8, 2019.
- Child Visit Day for Grasshoppers and Dragonflies applicants is **Friday, February 8, 2019.**
- After receiving your child's application, including the non-refundable \$100 fee and teacher questionnaire, we will contact you by email to schedule your child's visit time.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature



**Child's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

We love hearing stories about and quotations from your child  
but we're not looking for a dissertation 😊  
Please limit your responses to a page or two.

1. What do you enjoy most about your child?
2. What do you find most challenging about your child?
3. What is your child passionate about?
4. What has happened that made you wonder if your child might be gifted?
5. Has your child attended preschool or other structured children's groups?  
Please list current preschool or child care:
6. How did you learn about Bellevue Discovery?  
If word of mouth: *name of alumni parent, school admissions director, IQ tester*  
If internet search: *key words*
7. What languages do you speak at home?
8. How would you describe your family's cultural or ethnic background? *(Optional)*
9. What other information about your child is important for us to know?

BELLEVUE DISCOVERY DOES NOT DISCRIMINATE ON THE BASIS OF ETHNIC BACKGROUND, FAMILY COMPOSITION, GENDER OR GENDER IDENTITY, NATIONALITY, PHYSICAL ABILITY, RACE, RELIGION, SEXUAL ORIENTATION OR OTHER LEGALLY PROTECTED STATUS IN ADMISSION OF QUALIFIED STUDENTS, ADMINISTRATION OF PROGRAMS, HIRING AND EMPLOYMENT. WE BELIEVE DIVERSITY ENRICHES LEARNING AND THEREFORE SEEK TO PROMOTE AND CELEBRATE DIVERSITY AT BELLEVUE DISCOVERY.



Please give an example of how your child has shown **CURIOSITY**:

Asking lots of questions  being unusually observant  getting into everything  preferring new and challenging experiences  
interacting energetically with the environment  being highly attentive and alert  noticing everything

Please give an example of how your child **SURPRISED YOU WITH CREATIVE THINKING**:

Having a vivid imagination  responding with unexpected answers  having many original ideas  being very busy and productive  
solving problems in unique ways  adapting objects for new purposes  expressing strong preferences and ideas  
enjoying challenging conventions  enjoying independent play  connecting divergent ideas  preferring to do things their own way

Please give an example of how your child **SURPRISED YOU WITH ABSTRACT THINKING**:

Enjoying complex ideas  perceiving patterns and relationships  combining information from different sources into original ideas  
being goal-oriented with self-chosen projects  enjoying building things  wanting to figure things out on their own  
having a self-directed interest in time, numbers, clocks, calendars, geography, puzzles, and/or mazes

Please give an example of how your child has shown **ADVANCED LANGUAGE SKILLS**:

Having a large vocabulary  holding adult-like conversations  having a strong interest in books and reading   
having strong negotiation skills  telling long involved stories with clear narrative flow  having excellent receptive language   
having a mature sense of humor  communicating ideas effectively  speaking more than one language fluently



**Has your child been evaluated for:**

- |   |    |                |  |                |
|---|----|----------------|--|----------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vision?              | No | Yes, findings: | <input type="checkbox"/> Emotional or behavioral concerns? |                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Speech?              | No | Yes, findings: | No   | Yes, findings: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing?             | No | Yes, findings: |  |                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Allergies?           | No | Yes, findings: | <input type="checkbox"/> Other medical concerns?           |                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sensory integration? | No | Yes, findings: | No   | Yes, findings: |

There is no right or wrong answer to these questions ...

We want a classroom filled with diversity at Bellevue Discovery!

My child is cautious in new situations and/or slow to warm up to new people:

- Almost always     Sometimes     Rarely/never

My child is vocally exuberant (enjoys being loud) outside our home:

- Almost always     Sometimes     Rarely/never

My child is active and energetic:

- Almost always     Sometimes     Rarely/never

My child needs a heads-up when the routine is going to change:

- Almost always     Sometimes     Rarely/never

My child displays emotional intensity:     Daily     Weekly     Rarely/never

My child is highly sensitive to:     noises     smells     light     textures     other: \_\_\_\_\_

My child is fearful, anxious or hesitant in these situations: \_\_\_\_\_

My child enjoys messy art projects:     Almost always     Sometimes     Rarely/never

My child enjoys building with construction toys such as Legos and blocks

- Almost always     Sometimes     Rarely/never

My child enjoys large motor activities (ex., sports)     Yes, examples:

- Not so much

My child enjoys small motor activities (ex., drawing, writing)     Yes, examples:

- Not so much

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

THANK YOU FOR APPLYING TO BELLEVUE DISCOVERY!



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USING RESEARCH-BASED METHODS FOR WORKING WITH YOUNG GIFTED LEARNERS  
IN AN ENRICHED AND CARING LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

## Teacher Questionnaire

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

DEAR TEACHER: THIS CHILD HAS APPLIED TO OUR PROGRAM AND WE WOULD APPRECIATE  
YOUR PERSPECTIVE. YOUR RESPONSES WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Person completing this questionnaire

\_\_\_\_\_  
Your position

\_\_\_\_\_  
How long have you known the child?

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of school, class or center

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Number of hours/week child is with you

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address of school, class or child care center

- |  |                             |           |                              |
|--|-----------------------------|-----------|------------------------------|
| 1. Is this child excited about learning?                               | Yes                         | Sometimes | No                           |
| 2. Does the child follow adults' directions well?                      | Yes                         | Sometimes | No                           |
| 3. Does the child have age-appropriate social skills?                  | Yes                         | Sometimes | No                           |
| 4. Do the child's parents have realistic expectations for their child? | Yes                         | Sometimes | No                           |
| 5. What is the child's typical level of aggression?                    | Lower than<br>class average | Average   | Higher than<br>class average |

We welcome any insight you'd like to share about this child:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Teacher's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR TAKING THE TIME TO COMPLETE THIS QUESTIONNAIRE!  
QUESTIONS? [REGISTRATION@BELLEVUEDISCOVERY.ORG](mailto:REGISTRATION@BELLEVUEDISCOVERY.ORG)