



QUAKER DIGITAL ACADEMY
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Introduction: The United States Department of Education, under the No Child Left Behind Act, mandates that school districts collect and report racial and ethnic data. The purpose for collecting this information is to “ensure equal access” to education for all students. The Quaker Digital Academy is required to request this information from parents and then report it to the U.S. Department of Education.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation. Please direct questions about this form to the QDA office (330-364-0618).

Directions: Please fill out the form below and return this entire page to the QDA office. A separate form is needed for each child.

Full Name of Child: _____

School Building: _____ QDA _____

Grade Level: _____

1. Is the child Hispanic/Latino? _____ YES _____ NO (a person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.)

2. Which of the following five racial groups applies to the child. Check all that apply:

_____ **American Indian or Alaska Native** - Persons having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America) and who maintain tribal affiliation or community attachment.

_____ **Asian** - Persons having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent. This area includes, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

_____ **Black or African American** - Persons having origins in any of the black racial groups in Africa.

_____ **Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander**

_____ **White** - People who have origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, North Africa, or the Middle East.

(The US Department of Education will allow educational entities to use “observer identification” of the race and ethnicity of elementary and secondary school students when self-identification or identification by the parents does not occur.)

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Printed Name of Parent/Guardian: _____