

Parent Name: _____

Date: _____

Student Name: _____

Advisor/s Name/s: _____

MY HOPES AND DREAMS FOR MY CHILD

Directions: For your child's Autobiography, it would be great if you could write about your hopes and dreams for her/his future. Please answer the following questions as thoughtfully and honestly as you can, then you may weave together these responses into a letter to your child that will be included in his/her Autobiography. These questions are designed to help you think about the words of encouragement, inspiration and pride you may want to express to your child, but the questions/prompts are only suggestions. Feel free to write your letter with or without the use of these questions. Thank you in advance for taking the time to do this, your child and I truly appreciate it. (Suggested letter form is attached.)

Questions:

1. What ability, skill, talent, or gift do you believe your child has that you hope they will develop and use?

2. What are your hopes and dreams for your child as it relates to:

a) ...high school performance (attendance, punctuality, homework, studying, projects, extracurricular activities)? Why?

b) ...after school job? Why?

c) ...college education? Why?

d) ...future jobs? Why?

3. What challenge/s (personal and/or professional) did you go through that you hope your child will learn from?

4. What success/es (personal and/or professional) did you go experience that you hope your child will learn from or experience?

5. What makes you feel proud or happy about your child?