



# Application Questionnaire

## for Parents of Prospective NBS Students

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**Dear Prospective Parents,**

**North Branch offers a multi-faceted program, designed to strengthen students academically, artistically, athletically, socially, and emotionally. We ask that you look through the school website at [north-branch-school.org](http://north-branch-school.org) to get a sense of the range of projects and activities at North Branch, and then answer the following questions on separate paper. It makes no difference whether your answers are typed or handwritten — we are experts at reading a wide variety of handwriting! We look forward to hearing from you.**

1. What does your child enjoy about his/her present school setting? What aspects of school does your child currently dislike?
2. What about your child's current school experience do you appreciate? What are your concerns, if any, with the current school experience?
3. What are the particular aspects of the North Branch program that appeal to you as a parent? What, if any, concerns do you have about the "fit" for your child at North Branch?
4. What are the particular aspects of the school that you think would appeal to your child? Having looked at the website ([north-branch-school.org](http://north-branch-school.org)), what projects, events or activities do you think your child would enjoy? Why?
5. What activities does your child enjoy outside of school? These should include group activities such as clubs and lessons as well as individual and family pursuits.
6. About how much time does your child spend on homework each night? (Estimate an average) Where in your home does your child tend to do homework? Do you find yourself helping with homework daily, weekly, or rarely?