



Kindergarten Continuance Form

Parental Agreement for Pupil to Continue in Kindergarten

Reflects amendments to Education Code Sections 46300 and 48011, effective January 1, 1992

Name of Pupil: _____

Kindergarten Attendance Anniversary Date: _____
(One year from Kindergarten start date, mm/dd/yy)

Name of School Official Approving for District: _____

Information for Parent or Guardian

California law provides that after a child has been lawfully admitted to kindergarten and has attended for a year, the child shall be promoted to the first grade unless the school district and the child's parent/guardian agree to having the child continue to attend kindergarten for not longer than one additional year. This rule applies whether a child begins kindergarten at the beginning of a school year or at some later date, so that a child who begins kindergarten in January, for example, shall be promoted the following January unless there is a formal agreement to have him or her continue in kindergarten. Because kindergarten-age children do not develop at steady or predictable rates, the California Department of Education recommends that approval for a child to continue not be given until near the anniversary of a child's admittance to kindergarten.

I agree to having my child (named above) continue in kindergarten until _____ / _____ / _____
(may not be more than one year beyond anniversary) (Date, mm/dd/yy)

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ / _____ / _____
(Signature Date)