Dear Parent:

Our 21stCCLC FAMU DRS SMART Academies Program is in the process of developing a schedule for parent involvement program activities, which includes literacy. You play a key role in the intellectual, social and academic growth of your child. Therefore, your input is very important! Parent and family activities, resources, and workshops will be designed from this survey to assist you to better work with your child during these important years. In order to do so, please answer the following questions and return this survey to a teacher or parent representative.

**Name of family/child:** ___________________________ (Optional)

1. I have children in (check all that apply): ☐ Elementary K-6 ☐ Middle/High 7-12

2. What would be the best day and time for a parent workshop/Family Night? (Check all that apply)
   - **Day:** ☐ Monday ☐ Tuesday ☐ Wednesday ☐ Thursday ☐ Friday ☐ Saturday
   - **Time:** ☐ Morning 9-11am ☐ Early Afternoon 12noon-2pm ☐ After School 5-6 pm ☐ Evening 6-7 pm

3. What would make it easier for you to come to Family Nights? (Check all that apply)
   - ☐ Transportation provided ☐ childcare provided ☐ food provided ☐ combine with DRS school activities

4. Would you be interested in receiving and learning information on how parents can become more involved in their child’s success by using the “Different Levels of Parent Involvement” program and how you and teachers can easily measure your involvement in your child education? Yes ☐ No ☐

5. Please indicate the topics that most interest you to better assist you and your child. (Check all workshops)
   - o Building your own parenting skills
   - o Financial planning/literacy
   - o Career development choices for students
   - o Helping with homework
   - o Improving reading skills
   - o Improving math and science skills
   - o Improving your child’s self-image through the arts and project-based activities
   - o Communicating with the school (parent/teacher conferences, volunteering, School Advisory Council/PTO)
   - o Improving academics through the usage of Technology
   - o Preparing for college, SAT and/or ACT tests

6. What do you hope to learn from attending Family Nights/workshops? (Check all that apply)
   - o Activities, resources, and technology games to do at home to help improve learning
   - o Information on what is being done in my child’s classroom (portfolio)
   - o Information on assessments/common core standards (reading, math, science, and writing)
   - o Information and resources on supporting my child’s reading, and other core academic areas
Literacy

Children have different reading habits. Some read fast; others read slowly. Some understand what they have read; others find it hard to comprehend reading material. Some remember what they read; others struggle with recall. Therefore, please answer the following questions to gain more insight on your child’s reading habits and learning style. Please return to your child’s SMART Academies’ teacher.

Does my child......................
1) Quickly settle down to work or take a long time to settle down to read? (circle one)
2) Have a relaxed or stiff posture when reading? (circle one)
3) Tend to study or read in the morning; afternoon; or evening? (circle one)
4) Have nervous habits that are visible while reading? yes no
5) Daydream a lot or stay focused on schoolwork? (circle one)
6) Have a snack while studying or reading? yes no
7) Get upset when disturbed while reading? yes no
8) Talk about what is read to: you; siblings; friends or no one. (circle one)
9) Hurry through work; take time; be careful about school work? (circle one)
10) What are your child’s READING HABITS
   - Use fingers to point at words? yes no
   - Move his or lips as he or she reads? yes no
   - Reread passages? yes no
   - Have difficulty understanding passages? yes no
   - Forget what is read? yes no

✓ What other suggestions do you have of ways we can help you help your child learn?