



# CHARLOTTESVILLE CITY SCHOOLS

## Request for Whole-Grade Acceleration      File: IKEB-F

### TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/GUARDIAN

Charlottesville City Schools is committed to academic and personal success for every student. This includes providing education with high academic standards and rigor that promotes maximum academic, social-emotional, and physical development of each student. Whole-grade acceleration is one educational intervention that moves students through an education program at a significantly faster pace or at a younger than typical age. The decision to accelerate should be made thoughtfully with the needs of the whole child in mind. Educators and parents should consider the student's intellectual and academic profile, socio-emotional and physical development, and preferences and dispositions of the child relative to the decision since acceleration may not always be the appropriate option for every child.

Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Grade Placement: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher/Team: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

On a separate piece of paper, give specific examples that you have observed of how your child functions at a significantly higher level. In your narrative describe each of the following:

1. Overall academic performance
2. Ability to analyze, apply, and evaluate ideas at an advanced level
3. Ability to work independently
4. Ability to think creatively
5. Motivation to work on advanced material
6. Oral and written communication skills
7. Exhibits passion for topic(s) of interest
8. Social/Emotional development

Name of Person(s) Submitting Request: \_\_\_\_\_

Relation to Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Return this form to the principal at your child's school