Dallas Preschool Readiness Project
Research Assistant Application

Name_________________________ Major ________________________________

Phone________________________ Year in school  ☐freshman  ☐sophomore
go  ☐junior  ☐senior

E-mail________________________ GPA______________________________

Spanish Speaking? (Y/N) __________________________________________

Circle One:  *Directed research or  **Volunteer

*There is a minimum requirement for volunteers of six hours per week. If you are
interested in Directed research, you must register for at least 2 hours of credit which
requires six hours per week commitment in the lab. If you want to register for 3 hours of
credit you must commit to 9 hours per week in the lab.

Please mark out the hours that you are NOT available. Please list Monday through
Saturday, including evenings:

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When will you be available to begin work? _______________________________
How many semesters can you commit to this position?_________________

One component of our project involves visiting families in their homes. If you were asked to participate in the Dallas Preschool Readiness Project, would you be interested in accompanying our staff on these visits? (This would require having reliable transportation to our field office at UT Southwestern.) ___Yes ___ No

Why do you wish to participate in the Dallas Preschool Readiness Project?

Describe your previous experience working with children or families:

Do you have any previous research experience? ___Yes ___ No
If yes, please describe:

Is there a professor at UTD who could speak favorably about you?
Name:__________________________
Email:__________________________

Computer Background: Please check or list the operating systems/software/programming languages of which you have good knowledge.

☐ MS Word ☐ Excel ☐ Access ☐ SPSS
☐ SAS ☐ Stata ☐ HTML
Other:________________________________________________________________

How often do you check your email?
☐ Once a week ☐ Twice a week ☐ Every other day ☐ Once a day ☐ Twice a day ☐ Multiple times a day

How organized are you?
☐ Maybe the least organized person alive ☐ Not very organized
☐ Somewhat organized ☐ Very organized
☐ Maybe the most organized person alive

Thank you for your interest! When you complete this application, please return it to the DPReP Lab-GR4.314. You may slide it under the door if it’s not open.