

HUMPHREYS COUNTY SCHOOLS
2443 Hwy 70, East
Waverly, TN 37185

Dyslexia Screening Permission Form

Child's Name _____ **Date of Birth** _____

Dear Parent:

During the 2016 Legislation Session, the general assembly passed the "Say Dyslexia" bill (Public Chapter 1058 of the Acts of 2016) which requires school districts to screen for characteristics of dyslexia through their existing Response to Instruction and Intervention (RTI2) procedures and to provide "dyslexia-specific tiered interventions" for students that demonstrate a need.

In order to process through this request, you are being informed that the following screenings will be given:

Vision Screening

Hearing Screening

Areas to be screened for Dyslexia:

- Phonological and Phonemic Awareness
- Sound-Symbol Recognition
- Alphabet Knowledge
- Decoding Skills
- Encoding Skills
- Rapid Naming

After the above screenings have been completed, you will be notified of the results. If the screening indicates that your child needs a more in-depth evaluation, you will receive a notice to request that you attend a meeting to discuss the need for an evaluation to determine if your child needs special education and/or related services.

If you are in agreement for screening, please sign and date in the space provided below:

_____ **Yes, I give permission for the dyslexia screening.**

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Please return this form to your child's teacher or to the Special Education Office located at address above. If you have any questions, please call our office at 931-296-2568.