HOME LANGUAGE SURVEY

Saint Margaret Mary School requires the completion of the **Home Language Survey** for all newly registering students regardless of race, nationality, or language origin. Public schools in Pennsylvania partner with private schools who choose to participate in Title III ELD (English Language Development) Programs. Central Dauphin will coordinate with Saint Margaret Mary School to identify potential English Learners (ELs) in the school. Pennsylvania has selected the Home Language Survey as the initial step in the identification process.

Student Legal Name:_____ _____ _____
Last Name **First Name** **Middle Name**

Date of Birth: _____ Age:_____ Grade:_____

Parent/Guardian Name:_____ Phone Number:_____

Please answer the following questions:

1. Which language did your child learn first?_____

2. Does the student communicate in a language other than English? ☐Yes ☐ No
(This does not include languages learned in school.)

If yes, what language(s):_____

If yes, can the child read and write this language? ☐Yes ☐ No

If yes, can the parent read and write this language? ☐Yes ☐ No

3. What language(s) do you most frequently speak to your child?_____

If you answered **No** to all the above questions, please skip to the bottom of the page, sign and date.
If you answered **Yes** to any of the above questions, please continue with questions 4, 5 and 6.

4. What is the date the student first entered the United States? (If student was born in the United States, please write date of birth.) _____

5. Has the student attended any school in the United States during his/her lifetime? ☐Yes ☐ No
If **yes,** complete the following:

Name of School	State	Dates Attended	Grade
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

6. In what language would you prefer to get information from the school? _____

_____ _____
Parent/Guardian Signature **Date**