

Appendix C: Justification of Parent Survey Items

1. Print Your Child's First and Last Name: _____

2. What is your birthday? Month: _____ Day: _____

The purpose of the questions 1 & 2 is to collect student identification information to enable national evaluator to connect parent surveys with student surveys.

3. What grade level will your child enter in fall 2011? *Please check one only.*
4th 5th 6th 7th 8th 9th Other: _____

The purpose of question 4 is to collect covariate information re. student's grade.

4. What is the name of the school you will be attending in fall 2011: _____

The purpose of the above question is to facilitate follow up with the Sol students after the summer program.

5. What is your child's gender? *Please check one only.*
Male Female

The purpose of question 6 is to collect covariate information re. student's gender.

6. Do you consider your child to be Hispanic or Latino? *Please check one only.*
Yes No

The purpose of question 6 is to collect covariate information re. student's ethnicity.

7. Is your child eligible for the National School Lunch Program (sometimes called the free or reduced school lunch program)? *Please check one only.*
Yes No I'm not sure

The purpose of question 7 is to collect covariate information re. student's socioeconomic status.

8. What is your child's race? *Please check all that apply.*

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- White
- Other: _____

The purpose of question 8 is to collect covariate information re. student's race.

9. What is the highest level of education you obtained? *Please check only one.*

- Less than 9th grade
- Some high school, but did not graduate
- High school degree
- Some college, no degree
- Associates degree
- Bachelors degree
- Masters degree
- Professional degree or doctorate

The purpose of question 9 is to collect covariate indicator of student's socioeconomic status.