



## A LETTER FOR YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER

As your child enters a new grade, communicate with their teacher the insights and goals you have for the upcoming school year. Sharing specific information about your child's Camp Invention experience can help provide an understanding of their skills and interests as they relate to STEM (science, technology, engineering and mathematics), creative problem solving and innovative thinking. We've created an easy-to-use template to share information about your child and their Camp Invention experience with their teacher for a positive, productive year of learning!

As you make your way through the letter provided, you'll have the opportunity to identify skills your child improved at camp, as well as challenges they enjoyed and those where they could use more support. This will give their teacher the chance to develop an understanding of their current learning level, as well as areas in which they can grow.

As an example, some activities and skills include:

- Brainstorming
- Collaboration
- Creativity
- Inventing
- Reflecting on ideas
- Compromising
- STEM confidence
- Generating ideas
- Sketching ideas
- Pitching ideas
- Sharing ideas
- Problem solving

## HERE'S HOW TO USE THE LETTER:

1. Fill in the blanks of this editable PDF with the best responses as they relate to you and your child, including identifying which goals you have going into the school year.
2. Save the completed letter with your responses.
3. Print or email to share with your child's teacher this upcoming school year.

We hope this letter is helpful as you partner with your child's teacher to best support your child.



# Camp Invention<sup>®</sup>

Dear

Hello! the family of . excited to team up with you to support this year. want to share an inspirational experience had that might provide some insights related to their classroom learning.

attended Camp Invention<sup>®</sup>, a creativity and STEM-based camp, this summer. Camp Invention is a program of the National Inventors Hall of Fame<sup>®</sup> that is led by local educators across the country. It helps broaden exposure to, and confidence in, science, creativity and innovation.

It was noticed that improved in really enjoyed and sometimes needed more support with

Some of the goals and have coming out of Camp Invention and heading into this school year are:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

You can reach me at

Together with you, look forward to supporting in continuing STEM journey in this new school year!

Thank you!



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