

Child Assent

Participant # _____

Research staff to child

1. Make direct eye contact with child and smile.
2. Prompt the child to look directly at you and listen.
3. Say “We would like to work with you for a little while. We are going to look at some pictures, say some numbers, and play with some toys. Would you like to work with us?”

Potential Indicators of Assent

1. Saying “yes,” “uh-huh” or a phrase or sound that the parent/guardian or teacher indicates as affirmative.
2. Smiling, nodding, touching the experimenter, or other physical actions that indicate interest in the interaction.

Child indicated yes.

Child indicated no.

Investigator Signature

Date