

**Table 9. School-aged child examination form (6-12 years)**

<b>Observations and vital signs</b>																			
General observations <i>General appearance, movement pattern, skin, handedness</i>																			
Head, face, eyes, ears, nose <i>Marks, bruising, swelling, discharge, rash, mucous, asymmetry</i>																			
Cardiovascular and respiratory <i>Chest wall deformities, respiratory effort, color</i>																			
Abdomen <i>Distention, rigidity, umbilicus</i>																			
Social interaction <i>Child and parents, child and practitioner, friends</i>																			
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<b>Neurological examination</b>																			
<i>When indicated, plus additional neurological examination as indicated (tone, co-ordination, posture, stance, gait, etc.)</i>																			
<b>Cranial nerve screening</b>	<b>Normal/abnormal response</b>																		
CN 2: Pupillary light reflex																			
CNs 3, 4, 6: extra-ocular movements																			
CN 5: facial sensation, masseter/temporalis motor																			
CN 7: blink response, facial expression																			
CN 8: hearing screen																			
CN 9, 10: speech, swallowing																			
CN 11: active head rotation																			
CN 12: active tongue movement																			
<b>Muscle stretch reflexes</b>	<b>Normal/abnormal response</b>																		
Biceps																			
Brachioradialis																			
Triceps																			
Patella																			
Hamstring																			
Achilles																			
Babinski flexor response																			
<b>Developmental screening</b>	✓ / ✗																		
Stand steadily with feet together, eyes closed																			
Stand steadily on one leg																			
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Heel-toe walk																			
Finger-to-nose																			
Dysdiadochokinesia																			
Retained primitive reflexes																			
<b>Orthopedic examination</b>	<b>Normal/abnormal findings</b>																		
Observation and palpation for spinal and extremity deformity, e.g. scoliosis																			
Posture																			
Adam's forward bend (scoliosis)																			
<b>Musculoskeletal examination</b>	<b>Findings</b>																		
<b>Palpation</b>																			
Active and passive range of motion <i>Spine, extremities — as indicated</i>	Cervical: Thoracic: Lumbar: Pelvic: Upper extremity: Lower extremity:																		
Static and motion palpation for regional restriction, tenderness <i>Spine, extremities — as indicated</i>	Cervical: Thoracic: Lumbar: Pelvic: Upper extremity: Lower extremity:																		