



TEACHER RECOMMENDATION

MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL

Candidate First Name:			
Candidate Last Name:			
Candidate Grade:			
Teacher First Name:			
Teacher Last Name:			
Position:		Subject:	
School:			
Length of time acquainted with candidate:	<input type="checkbox"/> 1-2 Years <input type="checkbox"/> 2-3 Years <input type="checkbox"/> 4-5 Year <input type="checkbox"/> 6+ Years		

Please rate the candidate as realistically as possible, in every instance comparing the candidate with your *college preparatory* students. It is understood that evaluators may find it difficult to judge Middle School candidates as possible college preparatory candidates.

Gets along with others	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent (top 10%)
Politeness	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent (top 10%)
Self-discipline	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent (top 10%)
Integrity	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent (top 10%)
Maturity	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent (top 10%)
Study habits	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent (top 10%)
Organizational skills	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent (top 10%)
Perseverance under pressure	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent (top 10%)
Leadership	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent (top 10%)
Self-confidence	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent (top 10%)
Sense of humor	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent (top 10%)
Empathy	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent (top 10%)
Reaction to criticism	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent (top 10%)

Please rate the candidate in terms of academic ability and motivation, comparing him/her with other college preparatory students:

Ability	<input type="checkbox"/> Poor	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent
Motivation	<input type="checkbox"/> Poor	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent

FOR NON-NATIVE ENGLISH SPEAKERS

The following questions are intended for non-native English-speaking candidates.

Please skip to the ratings section if the student is a native speaker.

How would you rate the level of the candidate's English proficiency?

- ☐ Beginner
- ☐ Lower Intermediate
- ☐ Intermediate
- ☐ Upper Intermediate
- ☐ Advanced
- ☐ Near Native
- ☐ Native Fluency

TASIS has four main options available for non-native English speakers. Which of the following applies to this student?

- ☐ This student could handle mainstream academic classes with no additional EAL support.
- ☐ This student could cope with most mainstream academic classes, but would need some EAL support.
- ☐ This student is not yet ready for mainstream academic classes and should be in EAL classes.
- ☐ This student is a beginner and requires extensive EAL support in all areas.

CHARACTER AND BEHAVIOR

Is the candidate respected by other students?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
What are the main factors contributing to this respect or lack of it?	
Is the candidate respected by the faculty?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
What are the main factors contributing to this respect or lack of it?	
What are the candidate's strengths and weaknesses? Please elaborate on their strengths and weaknesses as a student and person	
Does the candidate have any learning difficulties necessitating special support?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Please be specific:	
Which of the following describes the candidate's emotional ability?	
Easily moved to anger or depression	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Well-balanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Apathetic	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Tendency towards being over-emotional	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Other:	

Has the candidate had any disciplinary problems?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
If yes, what were the reasons for any serious disciplinary action taken:	
What kind of interest do the candidate's parents show in his/her activities and studies?	
Please be specific:	

SUMMARY STATEMENT

Please use the space below to discuss the candidate's quality and promise as a college-preparatory student. We are particularly interested in the student's character, maturity, values, and special interests and talents.

I recommend this candidate for TASIS:

Character:

☐ Not recommended ☐ Without enthusiasm ☐ Fairly strongly ☐ Strongly ☐ Enthusiastically

Academic Ability:

☐ Not recommended ☐ Without enthusiasm ☐ Fairly strongly ☐ Strongly ☐ Enthusiastically

Teacher Signature

Date:

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