



TEACHER RECOMMENDATION FOR STUDENT APPLICATION

Student's Name _____ Country _____

Home Address _____

Dear Teacher,

We are looking for mature academic students who would represent their home country and school. This teacher's evaluation has proven to be a very reliable aid in our selection process. We would greatly appreciate your assistance in the completion of this brief questionnaire. The evaluation will be "confidential."

Please complete the form in English (type or print.) The following must be filled out and signed by the teacher.

Teacher's Name _____

Name of School _____ Phone (____) _____

School's Complete Address:

Applicant is currently enrolled in grade: _____

1. **English** – The English Teacher’s evaluation on the student’s comprehension, writing, and speaking English will determine the student’s eligibility for the program.

Comprehension

If the student is reading an English article, can the student do the following?

- Understand and explain the article in detail?
- Explain the basic idea of the article. (Understands 5-6 English words out of 10?)
- Explain little or none of the article’s meaning?

Writing

When asked to write a one page essay in English, the student can:

- Write using good grammar with lengthy sentences and vocabulary
- Write with good vocabulary with minor irregular sentence structure or words.
- Write incomplete and short sentences with limited vocabulary.

Speaking

When speaking with someone who is fluent in English, the student can speak with:

- Absolute understanding and proficiency of the language.
Communicates and uses good vocabulary.
- Some understanding and proficiency. Responses come naturally.
Good speaking ability, but needs to practice.
- Little or no English. Student may refuse to speak English language.

Additional comments on student’s English proficiency:

2. **Overall Attitude at School** – Maturity and attitude toward school and school-work is very important. What is your experience with this student’s attitude toward school and homework?

Does the student demonstrate cooperation and show respect to the school faculty and students?

Does the student have a history of school absences or disciplinary problems?

Please comment on the student's study habits and motivation, e.g., Has the student ever held a position of responsibility within the school?

3. Overall Student Qualifications – Based on your experience, how do you evaluate the potential success of this applicant as a student in a foreign country?

_____ Very Good _____ Good _____ Average _____ Poor

Please provide further comments to aid us in our selection. Thank you for your cooperation and assistance.

Teacher's Signature

Date