

# MADEIRA

## MATH TEACHER RECOMMENDATION

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### CONFIDENTIAL

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Applying for Grade:  9  10  11  12 Status:  Boarder  Day Starting September 20\_\_\_\_\_

### To Be Completed by the Applicant's Current Math Teacher (after the first marking period)

Please complete this form and send it directly to Madeira. All information is *confidential* and will only be shared with members of the admission committee. Please be as specific as possible and feel free to elaborate on an additional sheet of paper. We appreciate your honesty and candor.

How long and how well have you known this student? \_\_\_\_\_

Name of math course you have taught or are teaching this student \_\_\_\_\_

Text book used (title, author, publisher) \_\_\_\_\_

By the end of the course, we will have completed \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ chapters

Is this course sectioned by ability?  No  Yes If yes, in which section is this student enrolled? \_\_\_\_\_

Student's approximate grade in course \_\_\_\_\_ Median grade in class \_\_\_\_\_

Does this student receive extra help and/or tutoring outside of class?  No  Unsure  Yes

If yes, for what purpose and how often? \_\_\_\_\_

Is this student usually able to complete her work within the typical time constraints?  No  Yes

### Personal Assessment

Please assess the student's personal traits in the following areas. Check all that apply.

- Leadership  positive  negative  effective  ineffective  tends to follow  team player  
Initiative  takes initiative on own  initiates when encouraged  lacks initiative  uncooperative  
Maturity  very mature  age appropriate  somewhat immature  immature  
Coping Skills  adjusts easily  adjusts with support  fears adjustment  resistant  
Confidence  overly confident  healthy self-image  needs some encouragement  lacking

Please describe her relationship with peers and adults in your school community.

What is your assessment of this student's integrity, self-confidence, and maturity? What area or areas need improvement?

## Academic Assessment

Please assess the student's academic ability in the following areas in comparison to her classmates.

	Strong	Age Appropriate	Weak	Not Applicable
Dedication to learning beyond pursuit of a grade	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Capacity for independent work	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Arithmetic and computation skills	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ability to think abstractly	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ability to think logically	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Test-taking ability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mastery of course material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

How would you describe the applicant's ability to problem solve?

How would you describe her classroom conduct and participation?

What weaknesses or academic difficulties has this student experienced in your classroom?

What math course would you recommend for this student next year?

Is there any other information that might be helpful to this student's next math teacher?

## Signature

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

School Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip Country

Telephone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
(include country, city and area codes)

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**Deadline for completed application: January 15**

Applications completed after January 15 will be considered on a space available basis.  
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