



SOUTHMINSTER SCHOOL
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Teacher Recommendation Form

Required for Grades 1-6

Student's Full Name _____

Date of Birth _____ Candidate for Grade _____

Parent or Guardian

Parent or Guardian: Please write your child's name in the space above and read and sign the following before giving to your child's teacher.

I understand and agree that the information contained on this Teacher Recommendation Form is confidential and will be used only in the selection of candidates and will not become part of the candidate's permanent file. I also agree that this completed form will not be available to candidates, parents, or anyone outside of Southminster School's Admissions Committee, and I waive any right I may have to it.

 Signature of Parent or Guardian

 Date

Teacher

As a current teacher, please evaluate the candidate based on your direct knowledge of him/her. Keep in mind that the applicant should be evaluated according to others of the same chronological age. The members of Southminster School's Admissions Committee thank you for your interest, cooperation, and honesty. Your comments will be held in strict confidence. Please check the appropriate boxes and include comments. *The student's application cannot be processed until this form is received in the Admissions Office.* Please submit any educational records concerning performance, testing, modification plans, etc. Please mail or fax this form to Southminster School.

General Academic Ability

Superior High Average Average Below Average

Academic Skills

	<i>Usually</i>	<i>Frequently</i>	<i>Sometimes</i>	<i>Seldom</i>
Listens to and follows teacher's directions				
Is attentive to group discussions/activities				
Contributes appropriately to group discussions/activities				
Demonstrates ability to work independently				
Perseveres in spite of difficulty				
Works cooperatively				
Enjoys new challenges				
Exhibits problem solving abilities				
Expresses written ideas clearly				
Express verbal ideas clearly				
Is self-motivated				
Is intellectually curious				
Is prepared for class				

Social Skills

	<i>Usually</i>	<i>Frequently</i>	<i>Sometimes</i>	<i>Seldom</i>
Responds positively to constructive criticism				
Establishes friendships easily				
Is comfortable in a group				
Is respected by faculty				
Is respected by peers				
Respects others				
Demonstrates self control				
Takes responsibility for belongings				
Is cooperative				
Demonstrates appropriate behavior				
Exhibits emotional maturity				
Demonstrates appropriate energy level				
Takes pride in appearance				

Circle the words that best describe this candidate

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|------------|--------------|-------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Aggressive | Honest | Immature | Disobedient | Self-disciplined |
| Mature | Oppositional | Vivacious | Manipulative | Conscientious |
| Sheltered | Social | Cheerful | Self-centered | Follower |
| Shy | Confident | Irritable | Easily discouraged | Perfectionist |
| Helpful | Witty | Responsible | Motivated | Positive leader |
| Anxious | Articulate | Well-liked | Organized | Negative leader |

- Is student habitually tardy or absent? Yes No If yes, please elaborate

- If you have additional information that will be helpful to the Admissions Committee in evaluating the candidate's application, please comment. If needed, use another sheet of paper.

Check one:

- Highly Recommend Recommend Recommended with reservation Do not recommend

If the answer is "Do not recommend" or "Recommend with reservation", please explain:

- I would like to be willing to discuss this candidate by telephone.
- Is there anything regarding the family that would be helpful to know? _____

Signature of teacher _____ Date _____

Name of School _____ Phone _____

School Address _____ Home Phone _____