



Granite Baptist School

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Teacher Reference Form Grades 5 - 12

Applicant: Please complete this portion before giving form to current teacher:

Name of applicant _____ Applying for grade _____
First Middle Last

Teacher:

The student above is applying for admission to Granite Baptist School. Our Administration views the teacher's reference as a critical factor in making admission decisions. Your candid appraisal of this student is greatly appreciated and will be held in strict confidence.

Name of course _____ Grade level _____

Name of textbook(s), if applicable _____ Optional: attach course description/syllabus

Applicant's current average (in your course) _____ top 1/3 _____ middle 1/3 _____ lower 1/3

Please comment on the quality of the applicant's work: _____

Please comment on the applicant's character, interaction with others and contributions to the school community:

In what areas does this student show particular strength? _____

Where do you see the most room for growth? _____

Is the parents' perception of their child compatible with the school's understanding of the child? _____

Please comment on the applicant's learning style, noting any special needs or accommodations: _____

If this applicant were to attend Granite Baptist School, is there anything that would be helpful for us to know in order to ensure a smooth transition? _____

Please circle the words that best describe this applicant:

aggressive	anxious	articulate	attention-seeking	cheerful	disobedient	easily-discouraged
helpful	follower	honest	influential	irritable	manipulative	organized
confident	over-protected	passive-resistant	perfectionist	responsible	self-centered	self-disciplined
resourceful	shy	social	vivacious	well-liked	positive leader	negative leader
conscientious	impulsive	irresponsible	distracting	assertive	other _____	

Based on your knowledge and experience, please rate the applicant in the areas below:

Academic Qualities	UNKNOWN	BELOW AVERAGE	AVERAGE	ABOVE AVERAGE	EXCELLENT
Academic Potential	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Academic Achievement	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Motivation/Effort	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Organizational Skills	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Participates in Discussion	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ability to Write:					
Ideas	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Mechanics	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ability to Express Orally	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Follows Direction	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Attention Span	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Completes Assignments					
On time	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
 Personal Qualities	 UNKNOWN	 BELOW AVERAGE	 AVERAGE	 ABOVE AVERAGE	 EXCELLENT
Maturity	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Leadership	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Self-confidence	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Emotional Stability	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Judgement	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Honesty	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Respect for Classmates	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Respect for Faculty	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Conduct	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Print Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____
 Email _____ Telephone number _____

_____ Please check here if you would prefer that we call you to discuss this applicant.

Please return this form to Granite Baptist School

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