

Gatewood School
 Confidential Teacher Recommendation
 First to Fourth Grade



To the teacher: We appreciate your cooperation in completing this form. Please complete the front and back and return directly to the Admission Office. This recommendation is confidential and will not be made available for parental review.

Student's Name	Present Grade
School	Date
Address	Phone Number
Teacher's Printed Name	Position

How long have you known this applicant? _____ year(s) _____ months

Compared to other students you have taught, please indicate your rating of this student:

	Excellent	Above Average	Average	Below Average
Attention skills				
Creativity, original thinking				
Motivation				
Ability to work independently				
Study habits				
Follows directions				
Intellectual curiosity				
Participation in class discussion				
Initiative in seeking help				
Verbal expression of ideas				
Language development				
Abstract math achievement				
Concrete math achievement				
Oral reading level				
Comprehension reading level				
Composition skills				
Spelling ability				
Problem solving				
Fine motor development				
Gross motor development				
Organizational skills				
Retention of learned material				
Attitude toward school				

Where would you place the applicant's current performance in language arts?

_____ Below grade level _____ On grade level _____ Above grade level

Where would you place the applicant's current performance in mathematics?

_____ Below grade level _____ On grade level _____ Above grade level

Please comment on the following:

What are the first words that come to mind that best describe this student?

Personal qualities - leadership, character, honesty, sense of humor, responsibility, concern for others, reliability, citizenship:

Interaction with other students - cooperation, respects the rights of others, willingness to share, liked/disliked, takes responsibility for own actions, friendliness:

Academic strengths/weaknesses/learning styles:

Students involvement in outside activities - athletics, fine arts, scouts:

Student's relationship with parents:

Parental cooperation and involvement:

Is his/her achievement equivalent to his/her ability? To your knowledge, is this parents' perception of the child compatible with the school's understanding of the child?

To your knowledge, has the applicant been tested for learning disabilities or received psychological counseling? If so, please explain. If no, should they be?

On a separate sheet of paper, please include any additional information you believe might be helpful.

Please return this form directly to:

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