



Tree of Life Christian Preparatory School

A ministry of the Seventh-day Adventist Church

Confidential Reference Form Entering Grades 2nd through 8th

Student's name: _____ Birth date: ___/___/___ Entering Grade: _____

To the teacher or School Director: we appreciate your cooperation in completing this form which provides us with the benefit of your observation of the child. The items below ask for your sense of this student's emotional and social growth, intellectual development and relationships within the school community. This information is used with the understanding that your observations are limited to the school setting, but will be helpful in our full consideration of the applicant. Thank you for your time on behalf of this student.

I have known this student for _____ years/months.

What are the first words that come to mind in order to describe this student? _____

What are the student's special interests, strengths or talents? _____

Academic Qualities: Please check the appropriate space that best describes this student.

1. Academic Ability ___ Outstanding ___ Good ___ Average ___ Limited
2. Academic Achievement ___ Far above expected ___ Better than tests ___ As expected ___ Below expected
3. Self Motivation ___ Well motivated ___ Some desire ___ Only what is required ___ Does very little
4. Effort/Drive ___ Maximum ___ Usually good ___ Sporadic ___ Occasional
5. Study Habits ___ Well-organized ___ Usually gets work done ___ Easily distracted ___ Poor habits
6. Intellectual Curiosity ___ Strong/Varied ___ One area ___ Occasionally sparked ___ Limited
7. Ability to work independently ___ Always ___ Usually ___ Sometimes ___ Needs much support
8. Participation ___ Joins in regularly ___ Occasionally ___ Contributes when called on ___ Rarely
9. Reads for pleasure ___ Constantly ___ Frequently ___ Occasionally ___ When prodded

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10. Ability to work alone ___ Always ___ Needs help occasionally ___ Needs help frequently ___ Needs much supervision
11. Ability to write ___ Ideas & mechanics good ___ Ideas good, mechanics fair
 ___ Ideas fair, mechanics good ___ Ideas and mechanics limited
12. Ability to express ideas orally ___ Exceptional ___ Good ___ Has some difficulty ___ Limited
13. Follows directions ___ Quickly & Correctly ___ Occasionally ___ Needs much explanation
14. Uses suggestions or corrections ___ Always ___ Usually ___ Needs reminding ___ Rarely follows suggestions
15. Seeks help when needed ___ Always ___ Usually ___ Occasionally ___ Rarely
16. Attention span ___ Exceptionally good ___ Usually good ___ Occasionally distracted ___ Easily distracted
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Please circle the words that describe this student:

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| aggressive | anxious | articulate | cheerful | disobedient | easily discouraged |
| follower | honest | influential | irritable | manipulative | organized |
| perfectionist | responsible | self-centered | self-disciplined | shy | social |
| vivacious | well-liked | positive leader | negative leader | helpful | confident |
| motivated | conscientious | respectful | curious | | |
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Have all financial obligations been met? ___ Yes ___ No ___ Not applicable

May we contact you if we have further questions? ___ Yes ___ No Telephone number : _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

School: _____ Position: _____

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"Preparing young minds for eternity."