



COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Honors Program Recommendation Form

Instructions to the Applicant: This form is to be given to each of the two persons you choose as references. References should be chosen from teachers or other non-family members who are able to comment on your qualifications for admission to the Honors Program.

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT:

REFERENCE FORM FOR: _____
(Name of Student Applicant)

Address of Applicant: _____

Under the provisions of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974,

I do ☐ I do not (choose one) waive my right to review the contents of this document.

Student's Name: _____

Student's Signature: _____

Name of Academic Reference (Please print): _____

Instructions to the Reference: Please provide your evaluation of the above named applicant. Please indicate how long and how well you know the applicant and provide your perception of his/her ability, aptitude, motivation, scholarly character, capacity for independent study, and potential for success.

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REFERENCE:

How long have you known the applicant? _____ years/months (*please circle*).

What is your relationship to the applicant (i.e. teacher, school counselor, community leader)?

Please indicate your appraisal of the applicant's qualities in the following categories:

	Superior	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Not Observed
Critical Thinking					
Self-Motivation					
Writing Ability					
Communication skills					
Creativity					
Independence					
Interpersonal skills					
Leadership skills					
Maturity					
Responsible					
Compared to peers					
Overall assessment					

Please provide any additional comments below you would like to discuss about the candidate below. Attach a separate sheet if necessary.

I would: ☐ recommend ☐ not recommend ☐ recommend with reservations.

Name of Reference

Position/Occupation

Phone number

Email address

Mailing Address

City, State, Zip Code

Reference's Signature

Date

Please return this form by February 15 to:

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