



Confidential Teacher Recommendation Form Grades/Jr.High

To the current teacher of: \_\_\_\_\_ is an applicant for \_\_\_\_\_ (grade) at the Waldorf School of Bend for the \_\_\_\_\_ Academic year. We would appreciate your cooperation in completing this form. It provides us with a meaningful way of getting to know this prospective student. This form is reviewed with the understanding that students are changing and developing within their own stages. Your honest and timely assessment of this student will help our admissions team effectively evaluate his or her candidacy. The information you provide will be kept confidential and will not be shared with the applicant or family. Please return this document directly to the **Waldorf School of Bend** via email, fax or mail Attn: Sarah Rucker, Admissions Director 2150 NE Studio Rd. Ste. 2 Bend OR 97701 [srucker@bendwaldorf.com](mailto:srucker@bendwaldorf.com) ph: 541-330-8841 fax: 541-330-9713. Thank you for your cooperation.

For the current teacher to fill out:  
 I have known this student for \_\_\_\_ years \_\_\_\_ months  
 In what capacity do you know this student? \_\_\_\_\_ How many students are in your class? \_\_\_\_\_  
 What three words best describe this student?

1) \_\_\_\_\_ 2) \_\_\_\_\_ 3) \_\_\_\_\_

Please rate the student in the areas of academic and personal development.

<b>Academic Development</b>	Exceeds grade level	Meets grade level	Below grade level	Not yet evident	Comments
Academic potential					
Reading ability					
Writing ability					
Mathematical ability					
Oral expression					
Demonstrates effort					
Motivation					
Attitude towards school					
Intellectual curiosity					
Listens attentively					
Make good use of time					
Attention span					
Works well in a group					
Participation in discussion					
Seeks help when needed					
Uses suggestions and corrections					
<b>Personal Development</b>	Mature	Age-Appropriate	Emerging	Not yet evident	Comments
Maturity relative to age					
Self-esteem					
Honesty and integrity					
Exhibits appropriate self confidence					



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Personal Development	Mature	Age-Appropriate	Emerging	Not yet evident	Comments
Accepts responsibility					
Consideration of others					
Peer compatibility					
Relationship with teachers					
Leadership					
School citizenship					
Sense of humor					
Self-initiated problem solving					
Adjusts to daily transitions					

**Additional Questions:**

Please comment further on the student's strengths.

What are this student's particular interests or affinities?

Please describe this student's learning style and the classroom setting or teaching techniques that you think would most benefit him or her.

Describe the student's social, emotional, or academic challenges, if any.

Has this student been evaluated for or received any special support such as an IEP, TAG, speech, counseling or ESL? If applicable, please describe.

Please describe anything unusual or exceptional about this student.

Are you aware of any family circumstances that affect the student's life at school?

Please comment on parent cooperation and involvement with the school.

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Teacher Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 School name \_\_\_\_\_  
 School address \_\_\_\_\_

May we call you if we have additional questions \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no  
 If so, best contact number ( ) \_\_\_\_\_