

# English Recommendation Form

THIS FORM IS TO BE COMPLETED BY THE STUDENT'S CURRENT ENGLISH TEACHER:

\_\_\_\_\_ has applied for admission to Grade \_\_\_\_\_ at Baldwin. Your frank assessment of this candidate will assist the Admissions Committee greatly. We are happy to accept a photocopy of the ADVIS Recommendation Form should this student be applying to several schools. Thank you for your careful evaluation of this student.

*Please send this completed recommendation as early as possible. It must be received by the Baldwin Admissions Office no later than February 1.*

1. How long have you known the candidate and in what connection? (Please list subject taught, including level of difficulty.)

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2. What are the first words that come to your mind in order to describe this candidate?

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3. Please circle the number that best applies for each category.

	1	2	3	4	5
	OUTSTANDING	ABOVE AVERAGE	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	NO OPPORTUNITY TO OBSERVE
a. Imagination and creativity	1	2	3	4	5
b. Ability to think and act independently	1	2	3	4	5
c. Relationship with peers	1	2	3	4	5
d. Relationship with parents	1	2	3	4	5
e. Relationship with other adults	1	2	3	4	5

4. What are the academic strengths and weaknesses of this candidate? Consider such categories as effort, curiosity, motivation, achievement in relation to potential, class participation, and homework preparation. Comments concerning writing ability or other skills appropriate to your subject area will be particularly helpful.

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5. What are the personal strengths and weaknesses of this candidate? Consider such categories as character, honesty, maturity, responsibility, leadership, sense of humor, and social skills.

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6. What are the candidate's extra-curricular activities and abilities?

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7. Please describe any unusual health or family circumstances.

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8. In relation to students of the same age you have known and using the scale below, how would you characterize the candidate?

	1	2	3	4	5
	OUTSTANDING	ABOVE AVERAGE	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	NO OPPORTUNITY TO OBSERVE
a. As a student	1	2	3	4	5
b. As a person	1	2	3	4	5
c. Overall	1	2	3	4	5

Signature

Date

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