

# Teacher Recommendation

For Applicants to Grades Kindergarten -1st

**Candidate's Legal Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Current Grade Level:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TO THE PARENT/GUARDIAN:** *Please read and sign the following statement before giving this form to your child's teacher. I understand and agree that the information contained on this form will be used only in the selection of candidates for admission to Keystone School and will not become part of the applicant's permanent file. I also understand that the completed form will not be made available to me or anyone outside the Keystone School's admission committee. I waive any right to see it.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*signature of parent/guardian*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*date*

The student named above is a candidate for admission to Keystone School. The school considers both a candidate's academic and personal qualities when making its admission decisions. The information you provide is confidential and will be used only in the selection of candidates. It will not become a part of the candidate's permanent file and will not be available to the candidate or to his/her parents.

**Please make the following ratings as realistic as you can:**

	Consistently	Often	Sometimes	Seldom	No Basis for Judgement	
<b>Academic Skill Development</b>						I recommend this candidate for an <b>accelerated</b> academic program:  <b>A. For academic promise:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Enthusiastically <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly <input type="checkbox"/> Fairly strongly <input type="checkbox"/> Without enthusiasm <input type="checkbox"/> No  <b>B. For character and promise:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Enthusiastically <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly <input type="checkbox"/> Fairly strongly <input type="checkbox"/> Without enthusiasm <input type="checkbox"/> No  <b>Would you be willing to be contacted further about the student's candidacy?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Is attentive	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Listens in a group	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Contributes to group discussions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Follows directions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Works cooperatively	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Completes tasks	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Can focus on one task	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Respects classroom routines	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Works well independently	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Moves easily from one activity to another	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Responds positively to correction	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is curious	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is willing to try new activities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Enjoys new challenges	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Exhibits problem-solving abilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Expresses Ideas well	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Shows accelerated academic ability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Physical Development</b>						
Small muscle control/coordination	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Large muscle control/coordination	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Speech development (articulation)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Social Development</b>						
Is supportive of peers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is comfortable with adults	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Plays alone happily	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Cooperates in play	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Dominates group discussion	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Shares well	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Initiates play activities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is imaginative	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Has the capacity to lead	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Has the capacity to follow	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Uses materials purposefully	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Works well with others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Responsive to class rules	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Demonstrates self-discipline	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Demonstrates self-confidence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Please provide comments on motivation, behavior, personality, strengths and weaknesses that you feel are pertinent to the student's potential performance at Keystone. If the student fails to satisfy some academic requirements, please explain in detail. You may attach a separate sheet.

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Please describe your interactions with the child's parents during the school year. Is the parent's perception of the applicant compatible with the school's understanding of the applicant?

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Please make any further comments you feel appropriate.

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Recommender's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Name of School: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_ street \_\_\_\_\_ city/state/zip

School Phone: (      ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

How many years have you been teaching? \_\_\_\_\_ How long have you known this student? \_\_\_\_\_

Which subject have you most recently taught the student? \_\_\_\_\_

*signature of teacher*

*date*

Please send all application materials to:

**KEYSTONE SCHOOL**  
Attention: Admissions  
119 East Craig Place  
San Antonio, TX 78212  
t: 210.735.4022 f: 210.734.5508

**Confidential School Report**

Candidate's Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_

*TO THE ADMINSTRATOR: The student named above is a candidate for admission to Keystone School. The school considers both a candidate's academic and personal qualities when making its admission decisions. The information you provide is confidential and will be used only in the selection of candidates. It will not become a part of the candidate's permanent file and will not be available to the candidate or to his/her parents.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*signature of parent/guardian*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*date*

**We would appreciate your observations in the following areas:**

- Leadership:            A positive leader                       A follower                       A negative leader                       Independent
- Cooperation:        Enthusiastically Cooperative            Usually Cooperative            Occasionally Cooperative            Uncooperative
- Dependability:      Dependable                       Fulfills Obligations            Occasionally Undependable    Undependable
- Work Ethic:          Extremely diligent                       Adequately diligent            Somewhat lackadaisical            Seriously underachieving
- General Citizenship:  Excellent Behavior                       Acceptable                       Occasionally unacceptable            Behavioral problem

**Is the candidate eligible to re-enter your school next term?**    YES    NO

**If no, comment.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Has the candidate been involved in acts of dishonesty?**    YES    NO

**If yes, comment.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Has the candidate participated in any disorderly, disruptive, or unmannerly conduct?**    YES    NO

**If yes, comment.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Has the candidate been disciplined by administrative officers or by a student judiciary?**    YES    NO

**If yes, comment.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Has the candidate ever been suspended or expelled?**    YES    NO

**If yes, an Admission Officer will call you.**

**Telephone ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_**

**Please describe the school's interaction with the candidate's family.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I recommend this candidate:

**A. For academic promise:**

- Enthusiastically       Strongly       Fairly strongly  
 Without enthusiasm       Not recommended

**B. For character and personal promise:**

- Enthusiastically       Strongly       Fairly strongly  
 Without enthusiasm       Not recommended

**Would you be willing to be contacted further**

**about the student's candidacy?**  Yes  No

**Recommender's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Title:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Name of School:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
street city/state/zip

**School Phone:** (      ) \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**How many years have you been teaching?** \_\_\_\_\_ **How long have you known this student?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Which subject have you most recently taught the student?** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
*signature of teacher*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*date*

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**Transcript/Record Release**

Candidate's Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Applying for Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**I HEREBY AUTHORIZE THE RELEASE OF THE BELOW MENTIONED INFORMATION TO KEYSTONE SCHOOL IN SAN ANTONIO, TX.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
*signature of parent/guardian*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*date*

The student named above has applied for admission to Keystone School in San Antonio, TX. **Please send a complete official transcript (including the current year to date), IQ scores, and any achievement test scores and comments.** All information will be kept confidential and will be used for assessing the candidate for admission to our school and for initial placement. The student's application cannot be processed until the admissions office at Keystone School receives this form.

**Please mail this recommendation along with all materials in an envelope with your signature over the seal to:**

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*If you have any questions, please contact the Admissions Office. Thank you in advance for your assistance.*