

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION: Science Teacher Reference

APPLICANT'S FIRST NAME

APPLICANT'S MIDDLE NAME

APPLICANT'S LAST NAME

▶ Candidate for the academic year beginning September 20 ____ Grade: 9 10 11 12 Present Grade ____ Boarding Day

▶ TO THE SCIENCE TEACHER:

This student is applying for admission to Proctor Academy. In providing you with this form, the student and his/her parent/guardian have authorized release of all requested information, including disciplinary actions. A full report is essential if the student is to be given fair consideration in our selection process. Please bear in mind that admission is competitive and that the Admission Committee depends on your candid evaluations in making its decision.

▶ CONFIDENTIALITY AND PRIVACY RIGHTS:

Federal law guarantees enrolled students the right and access to their educational records. Applicants do not have this right during the admission process: only after actual registration as students do they receive this protection. Proctor Academy can therefore guarantee the strict confidentiality of this reference; it will be destroyed before the candidate enrolls, and will never become part of his or her educational record.

▶ ACADEMIC EVALUATION:

Academic Motivation:

- Self-starting, industrious, motivated
- Good effort, better than most
- Underachieves, needs pressure to work
- Barely working, unmotivated

Technical Capabilities:

- Excels in material covered
- Is technically sound with most material covered
- Understands some aspects of material well
- Can follow procedures but lacks real understanding
- Has difficulty even following given procedures

Work Habits:

- Well organized and efficient
- Usually prepared
- Highly inconsistent, needs some prodding
- Disorganized and careless

Problem Solving Ability:

- Approaches problems logically and creatively, follows through
- Perceptive in approach but technically weak
- Has difficulty approaching an unfamiliar problem
- Becomes anxious and uncomfortable when faced with an unfamiliar problem

CURRENT SCIENCE COURSE AND LEVEL

TEXTBOOK OR OTHER MATERIALS USED

COURSE TOPICS COVERED

▶ In September, the applicant will be prepared for enrollment in: Earth Science Biology Chemistry Physics Elective

▶ Do you recommend the applicant be placed in an honors section? Yes No An AP Course? Yes No

If "Yes", please tell us why:

▶ **ACADEMIC EVALUATION** (continued)

In relation to others in the applicant's age group whom you have known, please check the appropriate box for each item below:

	BELOW AVERAGE	AVERAGE	GOOD	EXCELLENT	NO BASIS FOR JUDGEMENT
Self-discipline	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Seriousness of purpose	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Oral expression	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Study habits	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Initiative	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Curiosity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Common sense	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reaction to criticism	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leadership	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Energy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Independence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Integrity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Relationship with peers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Relationship with adults	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sense of humor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Concern for others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Emotional stability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

▶ What are the first words that come to mind when describing this student?

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▶ Are there any observed problematic behaviors—discipline problems, violence, intolerance or anti-social behavior in interactions with peers or teachers, perhaps separable from academic performance, that should be explored further by Proctor? If yes, please explain below: Yes No

▶ Please provide any insights about the applicant that will guide the Admission Committee:

▶ How do you rate the applicant's prospects for success in a college preparatory school?

	WITHOUT ENTHUSIASM	AVERAGE	STRONG	WITH ENTHUSIASM
For Academic Promise	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
For Character and Personal Promise	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Overall Recommendation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

▶ Please print:

NAME _____ DATE _____

TITLE _____ SCHOOL PHONE _____

SCHOOL ADDRESS _____ EMAIL _____

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TEACHER SIGNATURE

DATE