



**LIGHTHOUSE
SCHOOL**

*Candidate
Portfolio*

Student Name:

Parent Name:

Parent email contact:

Parent phone contact:

In assembling the candidate portfolio please pay careful attention to the expected and requested information. This information must be received prior to or at the student interview.

Expected:

1. Assessment data:
 - a. Ability test scores: Stanford-Binet V, WISC-IV, WISC-V, Cognitive Abilities Test (CogAT), Otis Lennon, or Naglieri, etc. Lighthouse School requires scores from published, standardized tests administered by a qualified individual or educational institution.
 - b. Achievement test scores: NWEA Measure of Academic Progress (MAP) or Iowa Test of Basic Skills, etc.
2. Individual Educational Plan: if applicable
3. Teacher/adult recommendation: From current teachers and other adults who know the candidate as a learner. (See the Lighthouse Teacher Recommendation form.)
4. Parent recommendation describing the child as a learner through the lens of the Habits of Mind. Visit www.instituteforhabitsofmind.com for information about these habits.

Requested and Recommended:

1. Report Cards: Prior two years from previous school(s)
2. Samples of Student Writing
3. Examples of work for which the candidate is proud, can talk about clearly, and demonstrates the student's use of some of the Habits of Mind.
4. Evidence of special interests, pursuits or successes: e.g. music, art, dance, film, science, technology, etc.
5. Awards and recognitions
6. List of recent books read
7. Learning Style Inventories
8. Anything else that would help the staff know more about the candidate as a learner