

# THE BRITISH INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF NEW YORK

MANHATTAN

## TEACHER RECOMMENDATION FORM YEARS 2-6

### To the parent/s of the applicant:

Please fill in, and sign this form and send it to your child's present school. A completed report is a necessary part of your application to The British International School of New York.

I hereby authorize you to send school reports for my child:

Name of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

To:

**Admissions Office**  
**The British International School of New York**  
**20 Waterside Plaza**  
**New York, New York 10010**

I understand that the Teacher Recommendation Form is confidential between the sending school and The British International School of New York and will be used only for purposes of admission.

Signature of Parent \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### To the teacher of the applicant:

Thank you for taking a few moments to fill in this form. Your comments will help us ascertain whether this applicant is a good fit with The British International School of New York. This form will become part of the student's admission file and will remain confidential. Please return the form as soon as possible.

The British International School of New York is unique in offering the rigor of the English National Curriculum and the enthusiasm and enquiry based learning approach of the IB Primary Years Program. We offer admission to children that we feel will flourish educationally and emotionally in the safe, nurturing environment we provide. If you have any questions, please call the Admissions Office at +1 212 481 2700. You can also find out more about us by visiting our website [www.bis-ny.org](http://www.bis-ny.org).

Thank you for your assistance!

Name of student:

Date of birth:

Street Address:

Home Phone Number:

Apt:

Mobile Phone Number:

City:

Proposed entrance date / year:

State:

Date of this report:

Country/Postal Code:

Submitted by:

Zip / Postal Code:

Teacher and class:

How long have you known this child?:

Languages spoken at home:

Any other languages:

Please check the box which most accurately describes the student:

	Area of Strength	Age Appropriate	Progressing to Age Appropriate	Area of Concern
<b>READING</b>				
Decoding skills				
Comprehension				
<b>MATH</b>				
Computation				
Conceptualization				
Problem Solving				
<b>LANGUAGE</b>				
Comprehension				
Follows directions				
Oral expression				
Written expression				
Vocabulary				
<b>WORK HABITS</b>				
Attention span				
Motivation				
Study Habits				
Quality of work				
Contributions to group				
Achievement relative to potential				

2. Please describe any notable physical strengths or weaknesses: visual, motor, auditory (including frequency of ear infection), and comment on general health, including level of absenteeism.

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**3. Please comment on the child’s language and speech development. Has the child been recommended for speech or language evaluation or therapy? (Please specify)**

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**4. Please comment on the child’s social/emotional development.**

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**5. Please describe the child’s work habits: pace, perseverance, independence, problem-solving, ability to work to completion, and attitudes.**

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**6. Personal qualities (leadership, character, honesty, sense of humor, responsibility, concern for others).**

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**7. Academic development: Please define areas of academic strength and weakness and comment on their nature and extent:**

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**8. Family: Is there anything significant about the home life which will help us to understand this child? (new baby, move, divorce/separation)?**

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**Have all financial obligations been met?**

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Have you received active cooperation from the parents?

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Please describe the parents' involvement with the school.

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What adjectives come to mind to describe this applicant?

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In relation to boys and girls of the same age that you know, and using the scale below, how would you rate this student?

	Excellent	Good	Average	Weak
For academic promise				
For character and personal promise				
Overall Recommendation				

Additional comments:

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Signed:

Date:

Title:

Telephone/E-mail: