



**WALNUT HILL**  
SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS

# Academic Recommendation

TO THE RECOMMENDER: The student named below is a candidate for admission to Walnut Hill School for the Arts. Please share what you know about this candidate. This recommendation will remain confidential and will not become part of the student's permanent record.

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant for Grade \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Last

Student's address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Code Country

Recommender's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Last

Job Title \_\_\_\_\_ School Name \_\_\_\_\_

Please share your length of experience in this role.    1-3 Years    4-7 Years    8+ Years

When did you teach this student? Select all that apply.    My current student    Taught the student in previous years

In what context did you teach this student?

What course(s) did you teach this student?

How large is/was the class?

Student's current average grade/mark in the class \_\_\_\_\_ Overall class average, grade, or mark for the course \_\_\_\_\_

What words come to mind to describe the student?

How well does the student understand the concepts of the course in comparison to other students in this grade level whom you have taught?

To what degree has the student mastered the material covered so far in this course?

Next year, what course would be the most appropriate placement for this student?

How would you rate their intellectual engagement?

Demonstrating      Developing      Emerging      No Basis

How would you rate their open-mindedness?

Demonstrating      Developing      Emerging      No Basis

How would you rate their resilience?

Demonstrating      Developing      Emerging      No Basis

How would you rate their collaboration?

Demonstrating      Developing      Emerging      No Basis

Please rate the student on the following:

	Outstanding	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Needs Improvement	No Basis
Effort/Level of Engagement					
Seeks help when needed					
Willingness to take intellectual risks					
Response to criticism or constructive feedback					
Open to the ideas and opinions of others					
Ability to work independently					
Maturity (relative to age)					
Concern for others					
Ability to lead a group of peers in a project or task					

If the student is relatively strong, weak, or needs improvement in any of the areas selected above, please elaborate.

Please comment on the student's citizenship and contributions to your community.

Have you had the opportunity to interact with the student's parent(s)/guardian(s)?                      Yes    No

Per your experience, are the parent's/guardian's perceptions of the student compatible with your school's?                      Yes    No

If no, please explain.

Is there any additional information you would like to provide about the student?

Thank you for taking your valuable time to complete this evaluation. Your reflections are an important part of the candidate's application.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_