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Teacher Recommendation

Pre-K, K and 1st Grade Applicant

To be completed by Current Teacher

An Accredited Christian School

_____ is a candidate for admission to The King's Academy's _____ grade.

Please return this form directly to the admissions office as soon as possible.

We are able to act on an application only after it is complete.

Your Name _____ Title _____

Please print

School _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

May we call you? _____ Phone _____ Best Time _____

How long have you known the student? _____

A. Academic Qualities (please circle the appropriate answer)

Academic ability	Outstanding	Good	Average	Limited	No basis for judgment	
Attention span	Exceptionally good	Usually good	Occasionally distracted	Easily distracted	No basis for judgment	
Intellectual curiosity	Strong and varied	In one area only	An occasional spark	Limited	No basis for judgment	
Participates in discussion	Joins in readily	Participates occasionally	Contributes when called on	Wants to dominate	Rarely contributes	No basis for judgment
Follows directions	Quickly and correctly	Occasionally needs help	Needs much explanation	No basis for judgment		
Obeys without argument	Obeys all of the time	Usually obeys	Argues sometimes	Often argues	No basis for judgment	
Is quiet when asked to be	All of the time	Most of the time	Occasionally speaks at inappropriate times	Frequently speaks at inappropriate times	No basis for judgment	
Completes work on time	Accurate and expedient	Accurate and appropriate	Accurate but slow to complete	Difficulty finishing work	No basis for judgement	
Relates well with peers	Leadership qualities	Friendly and well liked	Quiet and shy	Isolates self from others	No basis for judgment	
Enjoys learning	All of the time	Most of the time	Sometimes	Limited	No basis for judgment	

B. Reading Readiness Skills (check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Enjoys listening to stories | <input type="checkbox"/> Can distinguish words beginning with the same sound |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Can tell about events in sequence | <input type="checkbox"/> Already reading |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Can identify the letters of the alphabet | <input type="checkbox"/> Enjoys looking at books |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recognizes many sight words | <input type="checkbox"/> Knows long vowel sounds |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Knows letter/sound correspondence | <input type="checkbox"/> Can blend a consonant sound with a vowel (i.e. mo, la, ti) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tells stories from pictures | <input type="checkbox"/> Knows digraph sounds (i.e. sh, th, ch) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recognizes differences in size and shape | |

C. Motor Skill Development (check all that apply):

	With ease	With difficulty	Not at all
Cuts			
Traces			
Colors			
Draws			
Writes name			
Strings beads			
Builds w/blocks			
Hops			
Skips			
Climbs			

Does he/she use the same hand consistently? _____ Which? _____

D. Language/speech _____ Fluent _____ Infantile _____ Jumbled sequence

Sentence structure _____ Simple _____ Complete

Articulation _____ Clear _____ Cluttered

E. The circled words help describe this applicant:

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|--------------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Aggressive | Organized | Well-liked | Over-protected |
| Responsible | Motivated | Cheerful | Vivacious |
| Conscientious | Follower | Manipulative | Passive-resistant |
| Influential | Perfectionist | Shy | Confident |
| Disobedient | Insecure | Negative leader | Social |
| Irritable | Anxious | Helpful | |
| Easily discouraged | Assertive | Self-disciplined | |

Does the applicant exhibit any behavior which disrupts or distracts group activities?
(If yes, please explain)

Do you have any additional information, which might be helpful in our evaluation of this student?
Please enclose copies of any test results.

Signature _____ **Date** _____

Thank you for your time and assessment of this applicant. Your evaluation is an important component for our admissions process and will remain completely confidential.