

# English Teacher Recommendation Form



2019 - 2020 School Year

This student is an applicant for admission to Cristo Rey Brooklyn High School, a Cristo Rey Network School. The school is a private, Catholic high school for young men and women where every student works one day a week in the corporate world (i.e. banks, law firms, newspapers, etc.). The curriculum is college preparatory which requires strong academic ability, motivation and discipline. As you complete this recommendation, please be aware that the Admissions Committee depends upon your professional judgment and personal candor. **This evaluation is strictly confidential.** It will only be seen by the Admissions Committee. Your statement will become part of our confidential admissions files for use only by appropriate officials of the school. At no time will the applicants have access to it.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## Academic Skills

Ratings	Exceptional	Excellent	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Comments
Listens to and follows teachers directions						
Is attentive to group discussions/ activities						
Contributes appropriately to group discussions / activities						
Demonstrates ability to work independently						
Perseveres in spite of difficulty						
Works cooperatively						
Enjoys new challenges						
Demonstrates appropriate energy level						
Demonstrates ability to stay on task						
Exhibits appropriate work ethic						

## Communication Skills

Ratings	Exceptional	Excellent	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Comments
Ability to express ideas verbally						
Clarity of writing style						
Grammar / mechanical skills						
Reading rate and fluency						
Reading comprehension						
Knowledge and usage of vocabulary						
Imagination and creativity						

## Social Skills

Ratings	Exceptional	Excellent	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Comments
Responds positively to constructive criticism						
Establishes friendships easily						
Is comfortable in a group						
Is respected by peers						
Is respected by faculty and staff						
Takes responsibility						
Demonstrates appropriate energy level						
Takes pride in appearance						

1. Please write three words that you feel describe the applicant as a student.

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2. Please describe any special teaching or testing accommodations / modifications that have been provided for the applicant in the classroom.

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3. Briefly describe the applicants work habits / abilities / challenges.

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## Parental Support

Is there anything regarding the family that would be helpful for the admissions committee to know?

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Please fill in the following sentence:

I  Strongly Recommend  Recommend  Recommend with Reservation  Do Not Recommend this applicant to Cristo Rey Brooklyn High School.

If you selected "Recommend with Reservation" or "Do Not Recommend," please explain:

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## Signature

Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for your evaluation of this student. Please return the form via e-mail, fax, or in a **sealed** envelope to:

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