

FOOTHILL COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL

Message from the Office of Admission

TEACHER RECOMMENDATION FORM FOR FIRST-EIGHTH GRADE APPLICANTS

Dear Teacher:

We have received an application for admission to Foothill Country Day School from the student whose name is listed below. Foothill Country Day School, located in Claremont, CA, is an independent, co-educational school that offers elementary education in grades Kindergarten through eighth. Foothill Country Day School's mission and philosophy reflect a strong commitment to education, a love of learning, and the moral development of children – all pursued within a community of shared values and traditions.

We appreciate your insights and comments on this student which will help us give a fair and thoughtful consideration for admission for this student. Be assured that the information you provide will be kept in strict confidence and will not become part of the applicant's permanent record.

Once completed, **please return this form either by mail** (Admissions at Foothill Country Day School, 1035 West Harrison Avenue, Claremont CA 91711), **fax it** directly to Foothill – (909) 625-4251 to the attention of Ms. Colette Sims, Director of Enrollment, **or email it** to csims@foothillcads.org.

Thank you very much for your assistance!

Applicant's name: _____

Grade to which applicant is applying at Foothill Country Day School: _____

*Please rate the applicant's **ACADEMIC** qualities (listed below), using the answer choices provided:*

	Excellent	Very good	Fair/Average	Poor	No basis for evaluation
Attention span/concentration					
Ability to work independently					
Ability to communicate ideas					
Intellectual curiosity					
Follows directions					
Listening skills					
Completion of tasks					

Please rate the applicant's **SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL** qualities (listed below), using the answer choices provided:

	Excellent	Very good	Fair/Average	Poor	No basis for evaluation
Sense of humor					
Creativity					
Self-confidence					
Leadership potential					
Concern for others					
Interaction with peers					
Ability to act independently					
Ability to relate with adults					
General level of maturity					

What adjectives come to mind when you think of this applicant? _____

Level of involvement of the applicant's parents/guardians at your school:

- Overly involved
 Appropriately involved
 Rarely involved
 Not at all involved
 No basis for evaluation

Parents'/guardians' expectations for the applicant:

- Unrealistic expectations
 Appropriate expectations
 No basis for evaluation

I recommend this applicant for admission to Foothill Country Day School:

- With great enthusiasm
 With confidence
 With reservation
 Do not recommend

Additional comments: _____

TEACHER INFORMATION

Your name: _____

Your position/title: _____

School: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____