



Kirby Hall

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Confidential Teacher Recommendation for Incoming Kinder through 2nd Grade

Child's Name _____ Current Grade _____ Date _____

Current School _____

Teacher's Name & Email _____

Teacher's Signature _____

The student named above has made application to Kirby Hall School. Our ability to evaluate this student is helped considerably by your insight and experience as his/her teacher. All information that you provide will be kept confidential. Thank you for your assistance.

Please return by U.S. mail to **306 West 29th Street Austin, TX 78705** OR email at **admissions@kirbyhall.org**

	Outstanding	Age Appropriate	Needs Development
Social Development			
Desires & pursues relationships with peers			
Cooperates with peers in play			
Shares well			
Initiates play activities			
Has the capacity to lead			
Has the capacity to follow			
Is comfortable with adults			
Can play alone happily			
Emotional Development			
Has a positive self-image			
Exhibits appropriate self-control			
Shows anger appropriately			
Respects classroom routines			
Is a self-starter			
Is willing to try new activities			
Enjoys new challenges			
Physical Development			
Has developmentally appropriate small-motor skills			
Has developmentally appropriate large-motor skills			
Skill Development			

	Outstanding	Age Appropriate	Needs Development
Is attentive			
Listens in a group			
Contributes to group discussions			
Follows direction			
Demonstrates ability to focus on one task			
Demonstrates ability to organize work			
Expresses ideas well			
Completes tasks			
Exhibits reasoning/problem solving abilities			
Is imaginative			
Uses materials purposefully			
Mathematics			
Writing			
Reading			

What is the student's current reading level? _____

Current reading/instructional series _____

What is the student's current spelling level? _____

Current spelling instructional material used _____

What is the student's current math level? _____

Current math instructional series/text _____

What are the child's academic and personal strengths? Weaknesses?

Has the student been promoted regularly during his/her school career? Yes _____ No _____

If not, please explain.

Does the student attend class regularly? Yes _____ No _____

Is there a problem with tardiness? Yes _____ No _____

If so, please explain.

Has the student had any disciplinary problems? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, please explain.

Has the student been recommended for educational evaluation to determine if special support/placement/accommodations or tutoring would be beneficial? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, please explain.

Parents are an important part of our relationship with the student. Please share with us any thoughts you have regarding the student's family.

Are the parents cooperative and involved with the school?

Is the parents' perception of their child compatible with the school's perception of the student?

Are you aware of any family circumstances that affect the child's performance at school?

Additional comments about this candidate:

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