



The Marine Mammal Center

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## Youth Crew Teacher Recommendation Form

Youth Crew is a 5- month volunteer program at The Marine Mammal Center for high school students between the ages of 15- 18. Youth selected into program will learn more about the various careers fields within marine biology and gain experience working on an animal care crew with the Veterinary Science Department, as well as an educational docent within the Education Department. **This form is part of the application, and must be submitted before the application deadline on January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2014 to be considered.** *The first section of this form should be filled out by the student, and the second section should be completed by the teacher. (ie: coach, academic advisor, or past supervisor.)*

### For Youth Applicant to Complete

Name: (Last) \_\_\_\_\_ (First) \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Teacher Completing Reference: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Phone Number: (        ) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Teacher's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Is this a teacher at your school? (circle one)        YES        NO        (if no, please explain below)

Teacher's Subject Area (if not applicable, please write N/A) \_\_\_\_\_

### For Teacher to Complete

**Dear Teacher,**  
Thank you so much for taking the time out to fill out this recommendation form for this applicant. Fill out form to the best of your knowledge.

How long have you know this student? \_\_\_\_\_ May we contact you about this recommendation?    YES        NO

Please classify the applicant in the following categories. You may hand it back to the student to submit or if you would like your remarks to be confidential please send the recommendation to the Youth Programs Lead at The Marine Mammal Center by **January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2013**. We welcome any additional comments about the student on the back of this form.

*Please rate the student above on the following categories: 1= poor, 2= fair, 3=good, 4=excellent, 5= outstanding*

Criteria	Rating	Comments
Attendance/ Punctuality	1 --- 2 --- 3 ---- 4---- 5	
Demonstrates Maturity	1 --- 2 --- 3 ---- 4---- 5	
Honesty/ Integrity	1 --- 2 --- 3 ---- 4---- 5	
Self- confidence/ Poised	1 --- 2 --- 3 ---- 4---- 5	

Effort/ Quality of Work	1 --- 2 --- 3 ---- 4---- 5	
Capability to Handle Problems	1 --- 2 --- 3 ---- 4---- 5	
Demonstrates Common Sense	1 --- 2 --- 3 ---- 4---- 5	
Shows Responsibility	1 --- 2 --- 3 ---- 4---- 5	
Ability to Work in a Group Setting	1 --- 2 --- 3 ---- 4---- 5	
Overall Leadership Qualities	1 --- 2 --- 3 ---- 4---- 5	

Total \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments:

**Please EMAIL or FAX completed form to:**

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