



Portland Area Catholic High Schools

Central Catholic High School, De La Salle North Catholic, Jesuit High School,
La Salle Catholic College Preparatory, St. Mary's Academy, Valley Catholic High School



English Teacher Recommendation Form

Return the completed recommendation form to the high schools requested no later than Tuesday, February 4, 2014.

The student named below has applied for admission to a Portland area Catholic high school. Please complete this form to help us assess this student for admission. Thank you for your assistance.

Student Name: _____ Date: _____

Current School: _____ School Phone: _____

Current Language Arts Teacher: _____ Signature: _____

Placement Recommendation: ☐ Basic English ☐ English I ☐ Honors English

Is this student ready for a college preparatory high school curriculum? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please rate the student on each of the characteristics listed below:

Characteristics:	Outstanding always, superior (top 10% of your students)	Good quite often (top 25% of your students)	Average generally, fair	Below Average occasionally, sometimes	Poor rarely, never	NA does not apply
Ability to work independently						
Ability to do independent study and research in areas of interest						
Academic potential in English						
Academic performance in English						
Critical and abstract thinking						
Completes assignments on time						
Study habits/skills in English						
Reading						
Oral comprehension						
Speaking						
Writing, vocabulary, and grammar						
Contributions to class in English						
Test results in English						
Works effectively in English groups						
Attendance						
Behavior						
Honesty						
Creativity						
Relations with peers						
Overall evaluation in English						

I would like a telephone conference: ☐ Yes ☐ No Phone Number: _____

Please use the other side for additional comments.

This recommendation will remain confidential and will not become part of the student's permanent record. Please be candid.

Additional comments are especially helpful in our selection process. Please take the time to comment on this applicant:

To be filled out by parent/guardian:

I hereby authorize my child's school to prepare and submit the written recommendation required by the Catholic high schools indicated below in the admission process. I understand that this written evaluation is confidential and may not be reviewed by the applicant or the applicant's parent/guardian. The evaluation will be used only in the admission process and will not become part of the student's permanent record.

Student Name: _____

Current School Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Printed Name: _____

Please forward this completed recommendation form to the following schools:

- ☐ **Central Catholic High School** • Paul O'Malley, Director of Admissions • pomalley@centralcatholichigh.org
2401 SE Stark Street • Portland, Oregon 97214 • 503.230.1056 • Fax: 503.233.0073
- ☐ **De La Salle North Catholic** • Mari Parra, Director of Admissions • mparra@dlsnc.org • James Broadous, Director of Admissions
jbroadous@dlsnc.org • 7528 N Fenwick Avenue • Portland, Oregon 97217 • 503.285.9385 • Fax: 503.285.9546
- ☐ **Jesuit High School** • Erin DeKlotz, Director of Admissions
9000 SW Beaverton-Hillsdale Hwy • Portland, Oregon 97225 • 503.291.5423 • Fax: 503.291.5485
- ☐ **La Salle Catholic College Preparatory** • Kam Kimball, Director of Admissions • kkimball@lsprep.org
11999 SE Fuller Road • Portland, Oregon 97222 • 503.353.1413 • Fax: 503.659.2535
- ☐ **St. Mary's Academy** • Lauren Funk, Director of Admissions • admissions@stmaryspdx.org
1615 SW 5th Avenue • Portland, Oregon 97201 • 503.721.7725 • Fax: 503.223.0995
- ☐ **Valley Catholic High School** • Claudia Thomas, Director of Admissions • cthomas@valleycatholic.org
4275 SW 148th Avenue • Portland, Oregon 97007 • 503.520.4721 • Fax: 503.646.4054

All high schools require individual applications for admission.
Please contact the individual schools for admission information.
