

The Office of Student Financial Assistance

Scholarship Recommendation Form

Student Name: _____

Student Unique ID: _____

The above-named student is applying for a scholarship through the NKU First-Time Freshman Scholarship Application. Please complete the information below return the form to the student to be included in their scholarship application. Questions, please email scholarships@nku.edu.

Recommender Name: _____

Title/Department: _____

Email: _____ **Phone:** _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____

What is your relationship to the applicant? _____

How well do you know this student? ___Very well ___Moderately ___Minimally ___Not at all

Based on your overall experience with students, how would you rate the applicant for each of the following characteristics? Please select the rating that best describes the applicant in each category. Select 'Not Observed'(N/A), if you have not had an opportunity to evaluate the characteristic or have no basis for assessment.

	Not Observed (N/A)	Poor	Below Average	Average	Good	Excellent
Oral Communication: Speaks clearly with precision and accuracy, without ambiguity						
Written Communication: writing is precise, accurate, grammatically correct, and unambiguous.						
Intellectual Ability: possesses academic competence and aptitude for college work.						
Leadership: takes initiatives and motivates others.						
Ethics: displays honesty, integrity, and ethical behaviors.						
Empathy: considerate, sensitive, respectful and tactful in response to others.						
Commitment to Learning: motivated to succeed, prioritizes education, takes responsibility for his/her own learning.						
Critical Thinking: interprets information, identifies relevant strategies for task completion, draws appropriate conclusions, makes logical arguments.						
Interpersonal relations: able to get along well with peers and superiors.						
Adaptability: reacts well to stress, is poised and controlled, self-confident.						

	Not Observed (N/A)	Poor	Below Average	Average	Good	Excellent
Self-discipline: capable of working independently, resourceful, meets deadlines.						
Class participation: prompt and consistent attendance, contributes to class discussions, asks questions and volunteers ideas.						
Constructive Feedback: reacts well to correction and improves on mistakes.						
Creativity: presents original ideas, displays innovative thinking, develops novel approaches.						
(Specify a relevant quality of your choice) <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 30px; width: 100%;"></div>						
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Recommendation for Scholarship:

- I highly recommend this applicant.
- I recommend this applicant.
- I recommend this applicant, but with some reservations.
- I am not able to recommend this applicant.

Please briefly provide any additional information below about the applicant, paying attention to (1) what differentiates this person from others (2) their capability for success at college, and (3) any other details you feel are important. If needed, please include no more than one separate sheet of paper.

Recommender Signature: _____

Date: _____