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## KINDERGARTEN RECOMMENDATION FORM

Students entering Kindergarten

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Current School \_\_\_\_\_

School address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

### To the pre-school teacher:

\_\_\_\_\_ is applying for admission to Sacred Heart School for Kindergarten. We would greatly appreciate your cooperation in giving an appraisal of this child's performance in preschool. **The information requested will be kept in strict confidence.** Thank you for taking the time to complete this recommendation. We appreciate your professional observations. **Please mail or bring this form directly to Sacred Heart School, 43-775 Deep Canyon Road, Palm Desert, CA 92253.**

The parents of this child give permission for us to receive your recommendation.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### A. **Physical development** (please *circle* the applicable description)

<i>Large motor skill development</i>	<i>good</i>	<i>average</i>	<i>needs more time</i>
<i>Fine motor skill development</i>	<i>good</i>	<i>average</i>	<i>needs more time</i>

#### B. **Emotional development** (please *circle* all descriptions that apply)

1. <b>Personality</b>	<i>confident</i>	<i>outgoing</i>	<i>aggressive</i>
	<i>assertive</i>	<i>nervous</i>	<i>distractible</i>
	<i>quiet</i>	<i>tense</i>	<i>shy</i>
	<i>pleasant</i>	<i>friendly</i>	<i>cooperative</i>

2. <b>Behavior</b>	<i>enthusiastic</i>	<i>sharing</i>	<i>receptive</i>
	<i>responsive</i>	<i>self confident</i>	<i>hostile</i>

3. <b>Moods</b>	<i>contented</i>	<i>even tempered</i>	<i>controlled</i>
	<i>angry</i>	<i>withdrawn</i>	<i>sullen</i>
	<i>happy</i>	<i>outgoing</i>	

#### C. **Intellectual and academic development** (please *circle* all descriptions that apply)

<i>is curious</i>	<i>works independently</i>	<i>focuses on work</i>
<i>is persistent</i>	<i>listens attentively</i>	<i>shares with others</i>
<i>follows directions</i>	<i>exhibits problem solving ability</i>	<i>cooperates with others</i>

D. **Communication** (please *circle* all descriptions that apply)  
*Uses rich vocabulary* *responds to what others are saying*  
*Speaks clearly* *others \_\_\_\_\_*

E. **Social Development** (please *circle* all descriptions that apply)

<b>General behavior</b>	<b>Play behavior</b>
<i>follows rules</i>	<i>interacts with peers positively</i>
<i>exhibits independence</i>	<i>plays alone</i>
<i>shares with others</i>	<i>takes the lead</i>
<i>demonstrates possessiveness</i>	<i>initiates activity</i>
<i>enters into suggested activities</i>	<i>enters into group play</i>
<i>is comfortable with adults</i>	<i>follows others</i>
<i>is comfortable with peers</i>	<i>shows bossiness</i>
<i>has control with toilet habits</i>	<i>quarrels</i>

F. **This student is** (please *circle* all descriptions that apply)  
*self-motivated* *well organized*  
*regular in attendance* *cooperative with school program*

G. **The parents are** (please *circle* all descriptions that apply)  
*cooperative with school* *consistent with discipline* *interested in education*  
*have realistic expectations for their child*

H. **Is this child receiving support services?** (please *circle* all descriptions that apply)  
*Speech* *Hearing*  
*Counseling* *Other? Please indicate \_\_\_\_\_*

I. **What do you consider to be this student's greatest strength?**

J. **In your judgment, what are the areas of greatest need in this student?**

K. **Please check one of the following:**

_____ I highly recommend	_____ I recommend with reservation
_____ I recommend	_____ I do not recommend at this time.

L. **Additional comments:**

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