

Dear Recommender:

Thank you for taking the time to help us assess applicants for the Science Explorers in Nature program. A few brief thoughts from you will be of great assistance to us. Please answer the questions on the back of this form, place it in a sealed envelope and give it to the applicant to include with her/his application. If you need more space, you may attach another sheet. Please be as honest as possible to help us find students who will contribute to the program as well as benefit from it. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely,

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STUDENT NAME
Please provide some information about yourself (recommender):
Recommender's Name
Affiliation (School / Group)
Daytime Phone #
How do you know the student?



In order to receive full benefits from the Science Explorers in Nature program, participants must be present, attentive, and able to work with other students and teachers. Please indicate how this applicant compares to other students you have known in the areas listed below.

Please circle the appropriate number regarding the following skills.

Responsibility/Timeliness:

1 ← Poor display of responsi and timeliness	2 ibility	3	4	5 ⇒ Highly responsible and timely
Respect for others:				
1 ← Has substantial problem interacting with others	2 ss	3	4	5 ⇒ Superior at showing respect for others
Ability to work in a team:				
1 ← Has difficulty working with other students	2	3	4	5 ⇒ Is excellent at working with other students

Our program includes children from diverse backgrounds. How does this child handle meeting new people and dealing with challenges?

How do you think this applicant would benefit from participating in the Science Explorers in Nature program?

