

**University of Oregon
Youth Enrichment/TAG Programs
College of Education
5259 University of Oregon
Eugene, OR 97403-5259**

Reference: _____

Your name has been given as a reference by _____, who is applying for a teaching position with the UO Youth Enrichment/TAG Program. The applicant will be responsible for teaching enrichment classes to approximately 16 young, eager, able learners over a several week period. Your candid evaluation of the applicant will assist us in providing high quality experiences for its students.

I waive the right to view this confidential reference letter:

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Possible topics to be taught: _____

Applicant Rating Sheet

| | Very Low | Below Average | Average | Above Average | Unusually High | No Basis for Judgment |
|---|----------|---------------|---------|---------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| Demonstration of content | | | | | | |
| Breadth of knowledge | | | | | | |
| Enthusiasm for teaching | | | | | | |
| Seriousness of purpose | | | | | | |
| Expressive ability: Oral | | | | | | |
| Expressive ability: Written | | | | | | |
| Ability to work with students | | | | | | |
| Emotional maturity | | | | | | |
| Approachability and warmth | | | | | | |
| Perseverance | | | | | | |
| Potential as a teacher of eager able or talented and gifted youth | | | | | | |

(OVER)

Do you recommend this person as a teacher for our programs? Yes No

Please use this space or another sheet of paper for any additional comments you wish to make about this applicant.

Reference Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ Phone: _____

Position/Title: _____ Company/Agency: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Please return this recommendation to:

Jody Barlow, Coordinator
Youth Enrichment/TAG Program
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Thank you!