

# TEACHER RECOMMENDATION

## instructions to students

Fill out the Student Information section below and give this form to the teacher or guidance counselor you would like to use as a reference. Students enrolling in an ASA program in Spain and France must request a recommendation from their Spanish/French teacher.

Please supply your referee with a stamped envelope addressed to ASA Admissions, 375 West Broadway, Suite 200, New York, NY 10012.

## student information

Name \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST LAST

Address \_\_\_\_\_

STREET

\_\_\_\_\_

CITY STATE ZIP COUNTRY (IF NOT USA)

ASA Program you are applying to: \_\_\_\_\_

Under the provisions of the Family Education and Privacy Act, I waive any right of access that I might have to this evaluation.

## instructions to teachers/guidance counselors

The student named above is applying to an ASA Cultural Immersion Program. All ASA programs demand a significant amount of maturity, flexibility and academic study. Acceptance to this program requires that students show evidence of intellectual curiosity and be socially and emotionally mature enough to handle the choices and opportunities they might encounter in a residence or in a homestay. On the basis of these criteria, we welcome your evaluation of this student's ability to participate successfully in an ASA program.

## teacher/guidance counselor evaluation

	EXCELLENT	ABOVE AVERAGE	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE
Academic Achievement:				
ACTUAL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
POTENTIAL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Creativity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Maturity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Self Motivation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Respect For Rules	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leadership Ability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Team Player	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

How long have you known the student? \_\_\_\_\_

Has the student ever been involved in any disciplinary action in your school?  yes  no

If yes, please explain below:

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Please use this space to answer the following questions and attach an additional sheet if necessary.

If you checked "below average" on the previous page, please explain how this may affect his/her success in the program.

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The structure of the program intentionally allows personal freedom and choice. Please comment on the student's ability to succeed in this type of environment.

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For students applying to ASA programs in France and Spain only:

How many years has this student studied Spanish or French: \_\_\_\_\_

Please assess the student's linguistic ability in the following areas:

	BEGINNING	INTERMEDIATE	UPPER INTERMEDIATE	ADVANCED
Reading	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Writing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Speaking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Listening	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## overall recommendation

- I recommend this candidate without reservation
- I recommend this candidate with reservation (please explain)
- I feel this candidate is unsuited for the program at this time

Name (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_

Job Title \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_