

# STUDENTS WITHOUT BORDERS ACADEMY (SWBA) NON-TEACHER/NON-FAMILY MEMBER REFERENCE FORM

You have been carefully selected to fill out a reference form. Please take a few moments to let the selection committee know how much you would like to travel with the student named below. I am interested in group safety and responsibility. The group will be on the water, in the jungle and in foreign, extra-cultural situations. We will also be in close quarters for a period of five weeks. THIS IS A VERY IMPORTANT DOCUMENT FOR THE PROGRAM. All information remains confidential.

**Please return the form to the applicant, inside a sealed envelope. Please sign across the seal.**

STUDENT NAME: FIRST \_\_\_\_\_ LAST \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known the applicant?      1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8+ years (circle appropriate)

How well do you know the applicant?      *Slightly Somewhat Well* (circle appropriate)

In what capacity do you know this student: \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle the most appropriate number      (1 being not so much – 10 being absolutely)

- I would trust this applicant to be on time for group meetings      1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- This applicant is able to get along in groups      1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- This applicant listens to instructions the first time      1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- This applicant is respectful of all age groups      1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- This applicant is emotionally mature      1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- This student is fit for cycle trips and/or rigorous hikes      1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- This applicant responds to stress appropriately      1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- This applicant can work independently      1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- This applicant follows through with commitments      1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- I would take this applicant on an international trip      1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- With supervision, this student could complete online coursework      1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

**In summary, your recommendation for this student (circle appropriate response) :**

HIGHLY RECOMMENDED / RECOMMENDED / NOT RECOMMENDED

**YOUR NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **EMAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

Additional comments below (or if you prefer by email [dfehr@sd22.bc.ca](mailto:dfehr@sd22.bc.ca))

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