

Middlebury-Monterey Language Academy

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TEACHER RECOMMENDATION FORM

This recommendation is due within two weeks of the date of a student's online application. The application is not complete until we receive this recommendation and a school transcript (in addition to the online application).

TO BE FILLED OUT BY APPLICANT

Admission to MMLA is contingent on receipt of your online application (including your personal statement), this recommendation, and your school transcript.

Please complete this box and give the form (along with a stamped envelope, pre-addressed to MMLA, 23 Adirondack View, Middlebury, VT 05753) to your language teacher.

If you have not studied a foreign language, give this form to a teacher who knows you well.

Student Name _____ **Phone** _____

Student Address _____

Under the provision of the Family Rights and Privacy Act, I waive any right of access that I might have to this recommendation.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

TO BE FILLED OUT BY LANGUAGE TEACHER

Upon completion of this recommendation form, please sign below and return your recommendation directly to MMLA, in the envelope provided by your student.

Teacher Name _____ **School** _____

School Address _____

Teacher Email _____ **Teacher Phone** _____

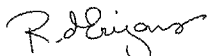
Signature of Teacher

Date

Teachers:

The MMLA summer program offers four weeks of language immersion (in Arabic, Chinese, French, German, or Spanish), where language is integrated with learning, recreation, meals, and activities of daily life. The Language Pledge — a commitment to speak, listen to, read and write the language of study as the only means of communication, a hallmark of the Middlebury Language Schools — is adapted for teens so that succeeding with it is a fun part of language learning.

Each applicant is evaluated on the basis of maturity, enthusiasm, motivation, intellectual curiosity, and potential to contribute to a language community for four weeks. We appreciate your help with this process.



Roberto d'Erizans
MMLA Academic Director

How long have you known the applicant? _____

In what capacity? _____

For how many years have you been his/her language instructor? _____

At what level of Arabic/Chinese/French/German/Spanish is the applicant currently enrolled (e.g. French 2 honors)? _____

Please rate the applicant in the following areas:

	HIGH 7	6	5	AVG 4	3	2	POOR 1	NOT ABLE TO JUDGE NA
Motivation for language study								
Oral proficiency								
Grasp of grammatical structures								
Curiosity about cultures of Arabic, Chinese, French, German, or Spanish speaking countries								

Please comment on the likelihood that the applicant would be committed to speaking exclusively the target foreign language in an immersion setting:

Please rate the applicant in the following areas:

	HIGH 7	6	5	AVG 4	3	2	POOR 1	NOT ABLE TO JUDGE NA
Eagerness to learn								
Ability to adjust								
Integrity								
Concern for others								
Emotional maturity								
Self-confidence								
Ability to work with peers								
Ability to work with adults								

To the best of your knowledge, has the applicant ever been involved in disciplinary action, placed on probation, or suspended from school? If yes, please explain.

Are you aware of any emotional, behavioral, or medical issues that may affect the applicant's ability to be an active and constructive member of a small group of peers or a residential academic program?

Please include any additional comments you have about this student.