



HAMPDEN-
SYDNEY
COLLEGE

Online
Application

Teacher's Confidential Reference Form

TO THE STUDENT: Please fill in your name, address, and high school in this section. Then give this form to a teacher who has taught you an **academic** subject. It is your responsibility to make sure your teacher receives it in enough time to complete and return it to Hampden-Sydney College by the deadline.

Your Name _____

Your Mailing Address _____

High School _____

TO THE TEACHER: This student is applying for admission to Hampden-Sydney College. We would like your candid evaluation of his academic and personal qualifications for college. For this particular application, we ask that you **return this form to the Admissions Office**. We thank you for your assistance.

Please type or print in ink.

Teacher's Name _____

Title _____

School Name _____

School Telephone _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Background Information

How long have you known the applicant? _____

How have you known the applicant outside the classroom (advisor, family friend, etc.)?

What courses have you taught the applicant? Tell us the applicant's year in school, the level of course difficulty (AP, elective, etc.), and his grade in that class.

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Academic Skills and Potential Ratings

How do you rate this student compared to others applying to selective colleges?

	Outstanding (top 2% or 3%)	Excellent (top 10%)	Good (above average)	Average or below	No basis for judging
Creative qualities					
Independence, initiative					
Intellectual ability					
Written expression of ideas					
Effective class discussion					
Disciplined work habits					
Relative maturity					
Peer relationships					
Leadership potential					

Evaluation

What are the first words that come to mind to describe the applicant?

Academic characteristics:

Personal characteristics:

Please return this form to:

Admissions Office, Hampden-Sydney College
P. O. Box 667, Hampden-Sydney, VA 23943

In accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, matriculating students do have access to their permanent files, which may include forms such as this one. Since we value your comments highly, we ask that you complete the form in the knowledge that it may be retained in the student's file, should the candidate matriculate at Hampden-Sydney College. Again, thank you for your cooperation.