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TEACHER RECOMMENDATION FORM

SECTION I — (To be completed by the applicant)

Student Name	School	Grade
I <input type="checkbox"/> waive <input type="checkbox"/> do not waive my right to access information on this Recommendation Form		

Applicant Signature

Date

SECTION II — (To be completed by a current Math, Science or English Teacher)

Teacher Name		Subject Area
Phone	Fax	E-mail

The student named above is an applicant for enrollment into the UNT - Dallas Upward Bound Program. The requested information below will help in determining the student's eligibility.

Attendance Record: Excellent Very Good Average Below Average

a. In what capacity and how long have you known the applicant?

b. How firm is the applicant's commitment and ability to succeed in a postsecondary educational program?

c. In what way would a college preparatory program such as Upward Bound contribute to the applicant's academic development?

Rate the applicant in the following areas. If you are unable to evaluate an area, please mark N/A.

	EXCELLENT	VERY GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	N/A
Attitude & Behavior	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Work Ethic	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Academic Integrity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reasoning/Critical Thinking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leadership	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Motivation & Initiative	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

d. Please cite specific examples of how the applicant has demonstrated the qualities listed above as it pertains to your subject area.

e. Additional comments:

Upward Bound is a federally funded program founded in 1965 by the U.S. Department of Education. Participants are potential first generation college students and several belong to low-income families. The program focuses on equipping these students with the necessary tools to succeed, both academically and personally, after high school graduation. Services include after-school tutoring, academic instruction in core curriculum, STAAR/PSAT/SAT/ACT preparation, college tours, workshops, a summer residential program, monthly community service opportunities, cultural & educational field trips and a host of other activities. Participants also receive a monthly stipend.

Do you have other students who would benefit from services provided by the Upward Bound Program?

YES, please contact me for more information

NO, not at this time

Teacher Signature

Date

This recommendation form is an important part of the student's application for the program. Please return it as soon as possible. Should you have any questions, you may call the Upward Bound office at (972) 338-1600. Thank you for your time and assistance.

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