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RECOMMENDATION

To be completed by the Applicant

Applying for ☐ Fall 20____ ☐ Spring 20____

Applicant _____ _____
last (family) name first middle initial signature

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street city state zip

( ) _____ _____
phone e-mail

Recommender _____
name school

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street city state zip

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date submitted to recommender

Applicant

After you have completed this section, give this form and a stamped, addressed envelope to your guidance counselor, academic or PTK advisor, or an instructor who has taught you in an academic subject within the last two years. If you waive your rights of access to this reference, please sign below.

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_____ _____
applicant's original signature **in ink** date

To be completed by Recommender

New College is the nationally recognized public honors college of Florida. Admission to New College is highly competitive. While proven academic strength is important, an applicant's personal strengths and character are also very important. We are especially interested in information on the applicant which may not be evident in transcripts and other application materials.

Florida Public Records Law permits review of this recommendation by the applicant unless he/she has signed the statement above.

1. Please comment on the applicant's ability and potential to do work in a rigorous academic program, giving examples of scholarly or creative work.

2. Please comment on any significant contributions the applicant has made in extracurricular, community, or work activities.

3. Have you any other comments or reservations that would help us to evaluate this applicant's candidacy? Please indicate here any unusual circumstances which may have influenced the applicant's academic and/or extracurricular performance.

4. How long have you known the applicant? _____

   In what context have you known the applicant? _____

5. What course(s) has the applicant taken with you (if applicable)?

Course or activity	Grade or evaluation

6. Please rate this applicant in comparison with your other students:

Below Average	Average	Good	Excellent (top 10%,but not 2 or 3%)	Exceptional (top 2 or 3%)		No Basis for Judgment
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	Ability	☐
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	Motivation	☐
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	Self-Discipline	☐
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	Growth Potential	☐

7. If your school does not rank, check this box: ☐

   If your school ranks students, please enter this applicant's current rank in class: Number _____ in class of _____

8. I recommend this student:

   ☐ No basis ☐ With reservation ☐ Fairly strongly ☐ Strongly ☐ Enthusiastically

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Note: **PLEASE ATTACH AN EXPLANATION OF YOUR GRADING SCALE.**

Recommender _____ signature _____ date

_____ name and title (please print) _____ phone

_____ school _____ e-mail

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