

To be completed by a person who has coached the applicant in a competitive team sport within the last year.

Instructions for the applicant

Please print your name and school below, have your parent or guardian sign, and give this form and a return envelope to the person of your choice. You may submit more than one recommendation.

Applicant's name _____
FIRST MIDDLE LAST

Current school _____

CITY STATE

Instructions for the parent/guardian

Please read and sign the following statement: ***I acknowledge that I waive my right to read the confidential teacher recommendation for the student listed above.***

Name of parent/guardian _____

Signature of parent/guardian _____

Instructions for the recommender

This student is a candidate for admission to Northfield Mount Hermon. Please complete this recommendation in its entirety, **make a copy for your records**, and return the original in the envelope provided to: Office of Admission, Northfield Mount Hermon, One Lamplighter Way, Mount Hermon, MA 01354-9638. Thank you.

1. Please rate the candidate in the following areas by placing an "X" in the appropriate box in every line.

Athletic qualities	OUTSTANDING	EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	NEEDS IMPROVEMENT
Athletic ability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Effort/motivation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Discipline	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Commitment to individual practice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leadership/team participation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Level of competitive experience	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ability to respond to coaching instruction	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

2. How would you assess the candidate's achievement level compared to athletes you have coached over the years?

- Top 1% I have coached in my career
- Top 5% I have coached in my career
- Top 20% I have coached in my career
- Above average I have coached in my career
- Average I have coached in my career

(over)

Northfield Mount Hermon

NMH is among the leading college-preparatory coeducational boarding schools in the United States. It offers a rigorous academic program combined with outstanding people and resources to ensure a profound and meaningful experience for its students.

PROGRAM More than 186 major courses, including advanced placement courses in most academic departments. A teacher/student ratio of 1 to 7. More than 60 teams in 21 interscholastic sports. Unique advising system and individual attention.

PEOPLE Total enrollment of 665 students from 32 states and 44 countries.

RESOURCES 1,565 acres adjacent to the Connecticut River with biking, skiing, running trails. Two artificial turf fields, nine-hole golf course, boat house, crew dock, all purpose field house, ice hockey rink, and working farm. Our facilities include a new, 63,000-square-foot arts center. Online library system has 40,000 items plus multimedia and digital language labs. Virtual desktop computer technology. Internet access from student rooms and most public spaces.

We appreciate the time and effort required to complete this evaluation. Your thoughtful comments will help us gain a better understanding of the candidate as an individual and as a student.

If we may be of any assistance to you, please call or write us:
 Office of Admission
 Northfield Mount Hermon
 One Lamplighter Way
 Mount Hermon, MA 01354-9638
 413-498-3227 Fax 413-498-3152
 Email admission@nmhschool.org
 www.nmhschool.org

* Recommendation should be mailed to the above address

APPLICANT'S NAME _____

3. Narrative evaluation and assessment:

I recommend this applicant for admission:				
<input type="checkbox"/> enthusiastically	<input type="checkbox"/> strongly	<input type="checkbox"/> without reservations	<input type="checkbox"/> with reservations	<input type="checkbox"/> not at all

If you have any reason to question the personal integrity of the applicant, please explain on a separate sheet.

I give permission for Northfield Mount Hermon to send a copy of this recommendation to other schools as requested by the parent or guardian.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

NAME (PLEASE PRINT) _____ TITLE _____

TELEPHONE () _____ EMAIL _____

NAME OF COMPETITIVE SPORT _____ HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN COACHING THIS SPORT? _____

NAME OF TEAM _____ HOW LONG HAVE YOU KNOWN THIS STUDENT? _____

HOW WOULD YOU RATE YOUR TEAM'S ABILITY TO COMPETE WITH MOST OF YOUR PEER ORGANIZATIONS NATIONALLY? Low _____ High

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

HOW WOULD YOU RATE THE CANDIDATE'S ABILITY TO COMPETE WITHIN MOST OF YOUR PEER ORGANIZATIONS NATIONALLY? Low _____ High

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

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