



**TRiO Educational Talent Search Initiative
Teacher/Counselor Assessment/Recommendation Form**



To be eligible for Talent Search Services, a student may:

- 1) Be enrolled in a 6-12 grade at a district school served by ETS
- 2) Have average to above average test scores
- 3) Have average to above average grades
- 4) Need encouragement to do his/her best in school
- 5) Want to actively participate in Program activities
- 6) Be from an income qualifying family
- 7) Have parents who do not have a four-year college degree

1. I would like to nominate this student to participate in TRiO Educational Talent Search.

(Name) _____ (School) _____ (Grade) _____

2. My assessment of the student's performance is (circle one):

(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)	(0)
Far Above Grade Level	Slightly Above Grade Level	At Grade Level	Slightly Below Grade Level	Far Below Grade Level

3. Student has been on the honor roll this semester or year?

Yes No Unsure

4. Please circle the characteristics (in each row) which best describes the student. Feel free to be honest. Your assessment will not necessarily negatively influence student selection.

	(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)
a)	Always complies with request promptly	Usually complies with request promptly	Usually slow in complying with request	Often fails to comply with requests
b)	Assertive, often takes initiative	Sometimes takes initiative	Rarely takes initiative	Passive, never takes initiative
c)	Very social and outgoing	Moderately outgoing	Shy, but not withdrawn	Withdrawn, limited communication
d)	Consistently displays a positive attitude	Usually displays positive attitude	Displays an indifferent attitude	Often displays hostile attitude
e)	Begins work immediately and works diligently	Works well most of the time	Usually has to be asked to do work	Has to be monitored to get work done

	(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)
f)	Prompt, on time	Usually on time	Often late	Usually late
g)	Good attendance	Average attendance	Poor attendance	
h)	Conscientious	Usually conscientious	Often haphazard	Doesn't care

Please state why you feel this student is a good candidate for the TRIO Educational Talent Search Program. (You may attach additional sheet if desired.) (4pts)

This student:

- 1) Is on free or reduced lunches. Yes No Unsure
2) Is an average or above student. Yes No Unsure
3) Parents have 4-yr college degrees. Yes No Unsure

Printed name of person completing this form _____

Position/Job Title _____ Daytime Phone _____

E-Mail address _____ Fax number _____

Signature _____ Date _____

**THIS INFORMATION IS CONFIDENTIAL AND WILL NOT BE RELEASED TO A THIRD PARTY.
WE SINCERELY APPRECIATE YOUR COMPLETING THIS FORM.**

Scoring

2. _____ (1-4 pts.)
4. a _____ (1-4 pts.)
b _____ (1-4 pts.)
c _____ (1-4 pts.)
d _____ (1-4 pts.)
e _____ (1-4 pts.)
f _____ (1-4 pts.)
g _____ (1-4 pts.)
h _____ (1-4 pts.)

_____ (1-4 pts.) Reason student is a good candidate.
_____ Total Points