



# Lo-Ellen Park Secondary School



## INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE PREPARATORY PROGRAMME Teacher Recommendation Form

*This form is to be completed by the Grade 8 teacher(s) best suited to comment accurately on the student's suitability for the IB Preparatory Programme.*

Student \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher \_\_\_\_\_ Subjects taught \_\_\_\_\_

**To the teacher:** The above student is applying to the International Baccalaureate Preparatory Programme. This academic curriculum challenges students in how to learn, analyze, reach considered conclusions about people, language and literature, society, and the scientific forces of the environment. Students must have established strong scholastic backgrounds. **Natural learning ability** and **self-motivation** are key characteristics of the successful IB student. Please complete this questionnaire and add any additional comments you think will be helpful to our selection committee on the back of this page. We rely on your professional judgment and appreciate the time and effort in completing these forms.

**Please check the column which best describes the student**

Learning Characteristics	Seldom	Sometimes	Usually	Always	Optional Comments
1. Does the student perform well on class assignments, tests, projects?					
2. Does the student manage time wisely?					
3. Does the student grasp new or different concepts readily?					
4. Does the student think independently?					
5. Does the student take initiative for his/her own learning?					
6. Is the student's oral and written communication mature and grammatically correct?					
7. Does the student demonstrate quick recall and mastery of factual information?					

Motivational Qualities	Seldom	Sometimes	Usually	Always	Optional Comments
1. Does the student show excitement and enthusiasm for learning?					
2. Does the student strive to produce work of high quality?					
3. Does the student handle outside responsibilities as well as school demands?					
4. Is the student imaginative and/or creative?					
5. Is the student self-confident?					

**TEACHER RECOMMENDATION FOR IB PREPARATORY PROGRAMME:**

Highly Recommend \_\_\_\_\_ Recommend \_\_\_\_\_ Recommend with Reservations \_\_\_\_\_ Cannot Recommend \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
yyyy/mm/dd

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