

RECOMMENDATION FROM A CURRENT TEACHER OF ENGLISH, MATH OR SCIENCE



Neuchâtel Junior College
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Student to complete this section. Please print clearly.

Name of applicant _____

Current grade _____

Applicant applying for Full Year First Semester Second Semester

Applicant will be submitting his/her completed application by:

December 7, 2009 March 1, 2010

(if above deadlines have passed) Other _____

Teacher to complete the remainder of the form. Please print clearly.

Please return this confidential report in a sealed envelope to the student in advance of the application deadline indicated above. Teacher Recommendation Forms received after the deadline will jeopardize the student's eligibility for enrollment.

The student named above has applied for admission to Neuchâtel Junior College. An application for admission consists of 8 components: Application for Admission form, Teacher Recommendation form, letter of recommendation, official high school transcript showing all credits earned to June of last year, copies of the student's report cards issued to date this year, the student's 500 word essay on a specific topic, a parental statement of support for the student's application, and a \$175.00 Cdn. application fee. Applications are assessed by the Admission Committee following each of the above deadlines.

Thank you for your time and assistance.



Teacher's name _____

Position/subject _____

School name _____

School address _____

Street name and number _____

City _____ Province/State _____

Country _____ Postal/Zip Code _____

School phone # _____ Fax # _____

E-mail Address _____

Teacher's signature _____

Date _____

Neuchâtel Junior College is an independent school located in scenic Neuchâtel, Switzerland offering a one-year, pre-university program to 90 students from across Canada, the United States and abroad. Founded in 1956, this co-educational, non-profit foundation of the City of Neuchâtel offers students the unique combination of academics in the centre of Europe, French language exposure, residency in a local Swiss home (the study of French is mandatory at the College but fluency in French is not a prerequisite for admission), and an enriching travel program. The academic program follows the guidelines of the Ontario Ministry of Education Grade 12 University Preparation Courses and the College Board's Advanced Placement (AP) Program. Students are involved in a range of internationally focused activities & service including Model United Nations, the New European Acting & Debating Association, Habitat for Humanity builds in Eastern Europe, and Internship opportunities at the Canadian Embassy in Berne and at the United Nations High Commission for Refugees. For more information, please go to www.njc.ch.

Neuchâtel Junior College selects students on the basis of their academic performance, character, interests and talents. Successful applicants are those who are looking to complete an established record of academic success with a stellar year of intense personal and intellectual growth. Students attending NJC are all university bound and studying at an advanced level (university prep); the annual incoming class average is 82%, with individual student averages ranging from 75% to 98%. The College favours students who respond constructively to new challenges and who express sufficient maturity, international understanding and responsibility.

Academic Maturity

Please comment on the student's academic maturity: work habits, organization, ability to submit work on time, need for supervision, ability to work independently, and interest in intellectual ideas.



Academic Ability

Please comment on the student's academic ability: writing, research, mathematical ability, creativity, maturity of thought, and ranking in your class and the year group.

Intellectual Curiosity

Please comment on the student's openness or resistance to new ideas and new cultures, and interest in the outside world, including history, global politics, and the arts.

Personal Maturity

Please comment on the student's social responsibility, behaviour with others, ability to handle independence and to behave in a mature and respectful way.



Personality

Please comment on the student's personality, including comments about ability to get along with others, leadership ability, particular talents and any weaknesses.

Other Comments

Please add any other comments you think might be helpful in assessing this student's suitability for Neuchâtel Junior College.

*Completed applications for Full Year, First Semester only, or Second Semester only are reviewed by the Admissions Committee following two deadlines: **Monday, December 7, 2009 and Monday, March 1, 2010**. Decisions will be mailed to candidates 6 weeks following each deadline. After March 1, 2010, applications will be assessed on a first-come, first-served basis if spaces are available; successful applicants will be added to a waiting list if space is not available and will be considered if cancellations occur. Applicants are advised to meet the first deadline whenever possible.*

