



## PERSONAL REFERENCE

**To the applicant:** Print your name and address on the lines below and give this form to a personal friend (other than a relative) who knows you well. You should provide your reference with a stamped, addressed envelope.

**Seattle Bible College**  
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**Everett, WA 98204**  
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Full Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_

*I willingly waive my right of access to see this recommendation knowing this is NOT required as a condition for admission.*

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name of Reference \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

***Note to the personal reference:*** The prospective student listed above is applying for admission into Seattle Bible College and is asking you to furnish a reference. Thank you for your frank, fair and accurate remarks and estimates.

1. How long have you known the applicant and what is your relationship to him/her? \_\_\_\_\_

2. How well do you know the applicant? (circle one)    Very well    Well    Quite well    Casually

3. Comment briefly on any area of the applicant's family background that would help our understanding of the applicant. \_\_\_\_\_

4. SBC is dedicated to Christian leadership development. Please describe what leadership potential, in your opinion, the applicant may have. \_\_\_\_\_

5. Comment on the applicant's handling of finances. \_\_\_\_\_

6. What are the applicant's strong points? (Include special abilities) \_\_\_\_\_

7. Comment on the applicant's self-image. \_\_\_\_\_

8. Comment on the applicant's response to authority. \_\_\_\_\_

9. What could SBC do to aid this individual in his/her personal development? \_\_\_\_\_

10. List any further comments you may have regarding the applicant. \_\_\_\_\_

11. Circle the phrase that best describes the applicant:

<b>DESIRE TO LEARN</b>	<i>strong determination</i>	<i>positive</i>	<i>needs encouragement</i>	<i>shows little interest</i>	<i>no opportunity to observe</i>
<b>LEADERSHIP</b>	<i>excellent leadership initiative</i>	<i>good organizer</i>	<i>leads when asked</i>	<i>makes little effort to lead</i>	<i>no opportunity to observe</i>
<b>COOPERATION</b>	<i>works well with others</i>	<i>usually cooperative</i>	<i>avoids group activities</i>	<i>causes friction</i>	<i>no opportunity to observe</i>
<b>RESPECT FOR AUTHORITY</b>	<i>respects those in authority</i>	<i>generally respectful</i>	<i>critical of authority</i>	<i>disrespectful</i>	<i>no opportunity to observe</i>
<b>CONCERN FOR OTHERS</b>	<i>unselfish caring</i>	<i>considerate</i>	<i>indifferent</i>	<i>self-centered</i>	<i>no opportunity to observe</i>
<b>ACCEPTANCE BY PEERS</b>	<i>well liked, sought by others</i>	<i>well accepted</i>	<i>tolerated</i>	<i>not accepted</i>	<i>no opportunity to observe</i>
<b>CHOICE OF ASSOCIATES</b>	<i>very discerning</i>	<i>somewhat discerning</i>	<i>questionable discernment</i>	<i>careless choice</i>	<i>no opportunity to observe</i>
<b>EMOTIONAL STABILITY</b>	<i>consistently stable</i>	<i>usually well adjusted</i>	<i>sometimes unstable</i>	<i>unbalanced, unstable, emotional</i>	<i>no opportunity to observe</i>
<b>ENERGY AND INITIATIVE</b>	<i>seeks additional tasks</i>	<i>does more than expected</i>	<i>does assigned tasks</i>	<i>needs prodding</i>	<i>no opportunity to observe</i>
<b>SPIRITUAL MOTIVATION/ INTEGRITY</b>	<i>high moral and spiritual standards</i>	<i>consistent moral standards</i>	<i>inconsistent attitudes and practice</i>	<i>not aware of spiritual beliefs</i>	<i>no opportunity to observe</i>
<b>ANTICIPATED ACHIEVEMENT IN COLLEGE</b>	<i>will excel academically (A)</i>	<i>will achieve better than average (B)</i>	<i>acceptable performance (C)</i>	<i>may experience failure</i>	<i>no opportunity to observe</i>

I recommend the applicant.

I do *not* recommend the applicant...for the following reasons: \_\_\_\_\_

I recommend the applicant with the following reservation: \_\_\_\_\_

I am willing to be contacted further (if necessary) regarding this applicant.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address of reference \_\_\_\_\_