

EASTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY  
 Committee for Admission and Retention in Education (CARE) and Graduate Division  
**GRADUATE RECOMMENDATION FORM**

Name of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Semester/Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Program: \_\_\_\_\_

**Confidentiality:** I hereby waive my rights to review the recommendations in my CARE file.

Applicant's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Person Making this Recommendation (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Professional Relationship with Applicant (**please check one of the following**):

\_\_\_\_\_ Academic Professor

\_\_\_\_\_ Professional Educator (*not* a professor of education) (Title: \_\_\_\_\_)

Please rate the applicant on each of the qualities on the scale below as a "potential teacher." Base your rating in comparison to your experience with other teacher applicants seeking to enter a teacher education program.

"Significantly above avg." represents the HIGH end of the scale (*i.e.*, the applicant ranks higher than others)

"Significantly below avg." represents the LOW end of the scale (*i.e.*, the applicant ranks lower than others)

As compared to others, the applicant...

<b><i>LEARNER ATTRIBUTES</i></b>	<b>Significantly above avg.</b>	<b>Above average</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Below average</b>	<b>Significantly below avg.</b>	<b>Not observed</b>
Competence in reading/writing	0	0	0	0	0	0
Critical thinking (oral/written)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Intellectual capacity	0	0	0	0	0	0

**Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_

***COMMITMENT TO LEARNING***

Capacity to accept and use new ideas	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maturity and reliability	0	0	0	0	0	0
Preparedness for class/work	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enthusiasm for learning	0	0	0	0	0	0

**Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_

***CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES***

Initiative and leadership	0	0	0	0	0	0
Willingness to work with others	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ability to communicate with others	0	0	0	0	0	0
Concern and respect for others	0	0	0	0	0	0
Openness to difference/diversity	0	0	0	0	0	0

**Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Return with applicant in a sealed envelope, email to [graduateadmissions@easternct.edu](mailto:graduateadmissions@easternct.edu), or mail to:**

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