

CATAMOUNT SCHOOL REFERRAL FORM (2022-23)

Dear _____,

You have been listed as a reference for _____'s application to the Catamount School. We are asking you to complete this rubric to the best of your ability and knowledge. One of our criteria is whether or not a student has made expected growth in certain areas. Expected growth is a standard where the student grows based on comparisons and expectations of the student's own potential. This is **not**, necessarily, dependent on being identified as proficient (at or above grade level) or not proficient (below grade level).

Grades

Not Made Expected Growth

Made Expected Growth

Exceeds Expected Growth

Please explain/give specifics

Observational Data

Not Made Expected Growth

Made Expected Growth

Exceeds Expected Growth

Please explain/describe behaviors, performances, attitude, peer relationships which indicate the student is not experiencing success at school or not demonstrating expected growth or not meeting standards.

Diagnostic and Formative Assessments

Not Made Expected Growth

Made Expected Growth

Exceeds Expected Growth

Please explain/give specifics

Other factors (ex. reading on grade level, past retentions)

Not Made Expected Growth

Made Expected Growth

Exceeds Expected Growth

Are there other factors in which you feel the student has not made expected growth in school? An example might be reading at grade level. If yes, please explain in detail and give examples. Feel free to attach another sheet with more explanation or evidence.

Signature of person completing form _____ Date _____

Your responses will be considered confidential and only used by Western Carolina University staff for the purpose of consideration for eligibility into The Catamount School.

Please return this to the Catamount School office located at Smoky Mountain High School or email a scanned copy to akarup@wcu.edu. Thank you for helping your student and the Catamount School. Have a great day!

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