

**TEXAS SOCIETY OF MAYFLOWER DESCENDANT'S SCHOLARSHIP  
ACADEMIC REFERENCE FORM**

**Applicant Instructions:** Fill out the first line of this form, then give the form to a teacher, principal, of guidance counselor familiar with your high school work. This form may not be filled out by a relative of the applicant. The person recommending you will return the form to you in a sealed envelope with their signature across the seal. They must write a letter of recommendation as well. Submit the sealed envelope as a part of your application packet.

**Applicant** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Recommender Instructions:** The person named above is applying for a Texas Society of Mayflower Descendant's Scholarship. Please complete the form below. You must also submit a separate typed character reference letter with this form. **Please do not staple or clip documents and be sure to sign the seal of the envelope.**

*Please describe briefly, how long you have known the applicant and in what capacity?*

*In comparison with other students you have known; please rate the applicant on the following characteristics:*

	Excellent	Good	Average	Poor	Unknown
<b>Inniative</b>					
<b>Written Communication</b>					
<b>Verbal Communication</b>					
<b>Ability to synthesize material</b>					
<b>Ability to acquire new skills</b>					
<b>Personal Relationships</b>					
<b>Maturity and Dependability</b>					
<b>Professional Demeanor</b>					
<b>Overall Assessment</b>					

**Please enclose a letter for the committee to better understand the academic characteristics of this candidate.**

I would rank this student in the (top 2%), (top 10%), (top 25%), or (top 50%).

**Application packets must be received by March 1<sup>st</sup>, so please make certain the applicant receives your recommendation in time to meet this deadline.** Thank you for helping us to select the recipient of the Texas Mayflower Scholarship

**Print Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_