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PASTORAL REFERENCE (One per family)

After you have filled in Part I, please give this to your pastor to complete and mail directly to the school.

I. TO BE COMPLETED BY FAMILY

Family Name _____
 Family Address _____
 Church Home _____

Name(s) of child(ren) applying to PMCA:

1. _____ grade _____
2. _____ grade _____
3. _____ grade _____

II. TO BE COMPLETED BY PASTOR

Dear Pastor:

PMCA requires that at least one parent of each student be a professing Christian. The family above has applied for admission to our school. Please give your candid evaluation of the involvement of this family in your church. Thank you.

1. How long have you known this family? _____
2. What word would you use to describe this family's church attendance? _____
3. Does the above family take an active role in the life of your church? Yes No
4. Have any members of the family held a leadership position in the church? Yes No
 If yes, please explain: _____
5. Is/Are the child(ren) active in the youth program of the church? Yes No
6. Do you consider the child(ren) open to spiritual instruction? Yes No
7. Please comment briefly on the profession of faith and the spiritual maturity of this family and their child(ren). _____

8. Are there any concerns which should be known by the school, and which could either positively or negatively influence the decision of the PMCA administration? _____

9. Having read the Criteria for Admission as printed on the back of this page, do you recommend the above family for admission to PMCA? Yes No
10. Further comments _____

Church Name _____ Phone _____
 Printed Name of Pastor _____
 Signature of Pastor _____ Date _____
 Church Street Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION

- That there be a credible profession of faith in Jesus Christ on the part of at least one parent of the applicant.
- That there be membership in, and regular attendance at, a church in which the Bible is sincerely believed and faithfully taught.
- That there be an understanding of, and agreement with, the purpose of the Academy to provide children with a God-centered education in which Jesus Christ is acknowledged in every area of life.
- That there be a commitment on the part of the parents to support the work of the Academy through prayer, volunteer labor and financial contributions.
- That each applicant give evidence of potential academic success in the Academy's program, based on past records, entrance tests and interviews.
- That each applicant give evidence of emotional stability, a satisfactory behavior record and adequate social adjustment.

MISSION STATEMENT

Philadelphia-Montgomery Christian Academy's mission is to provide excellent academic education from a consistent Christian world-and-life view for children in Christian families, so that they as Christ's disciples and ambassadors may be thoughtful, responsible, and biblically literate stewards of God's gifts and calling.
