



Phil-Mont Christian Academy
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PASTORAL REFERENCE (Host)

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

I. TO BE COMPLETED BY HOST FAMILY

Family Name _____
 Family Address _____
 Church Home _____

II. TO BE COMPLETED BY PASTOR/CHURCH LEADER

Dear Pastor,

Phil-Mont requires that at least one host parent of each international student be a professing Christian. The family above has applied to be a host family at 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. Do you consider the family open to spiritual instruction? Yes No
6. Please comment briefly on the profession of faith and the spiritual maturity of this family.

7. Are there any concerns which should be known by the school, and which could either positively or negatively influence the decision of the Phil-Mont administration?

8. Having read the Criteria for Admission as printed on the back of this page; do you recommend the above family for hosting students at Phil-Mont? Yes No
9. 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 HOSTING

- 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/or 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 Phil-Mont Christian 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 host parents to support the work of Phil-Mont Christian Academy through prayer.
- That each host applicant give evidence of potential hosting success in Phil-Mont Christian Academy's program, based on references and interviews.
- That each host applicant give evidence of emotional stability and complete all necessary background clearances.

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.

Please be in prayer for this church family; that God would show them the best path to take in making important decisions like educational choice. And pray that Phil-Mont would continue to be faithful in our vision of training ambassadors and disciples of Christ who are thoughtful, responsible, and biblically literate stewards of God's gifts and callings.