

For this letter of recommendation to be considered valid, it **must** be submitted in sealed envelope with the recommender's signature across the flap. Please mail to:

UAMS Graduate School Office
4301 West Markham St., #601
Little Rock, AR 72205

Student Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State: _____ Phone: _____

OPTIONAL: I hereby waive my right of access to the material recorded below.

Applicant's signature _____ Date _____

Respondent Name: (please print) _____

Respondent Signature: _____

Title: _____ Institution: _____

1. How long have you known the applicant: _____

2. Estimate how well the applicant's grades reflect his/her academic potential:
_____ overestimate _____ underestimate
_____ good estimate _____ no basis for judgment

3. In summary, I would (circle one below) this student.
 highly recommend recommend recommend with reservations

Additional comments: _____

Please rate this student in comparison to other graduating seniors with whom you have interacted in the past ten years.	5 - Exceptional (Top 10%)			2 - Average (Top 60%)						
	4 - Highly Commendable (Top 25%)			1 - In some way deficient (Lowest 40%)						
	3 - Commendable (Top 40%)			0 - Unacceptable (Lowest 25%)						
Please place an (X) within the appropriate category for each statement below. Please provide additional comments in the space provided or on a separate sheet of paper.				Performance						
				5	4	3	2	1	0	No Basis for Judgment
A. Academics										
1. Breadth of general knowledge & ability to handle abstract concepts										
2. Depth of theoretical knowledge in Speech-Language Pathology-Audiology										
3. Proactive learner										
4. Writing skills										
B. Personal Qualities										
1. Accepts & implements changes as a result of constructive criticism										
2. Cooperates & relates effectively to others to accomplish a goal-oriented task										
a. Peers										
b. Clients										
c. Faculty										
3. Ability to work independently										
4. Ability & interest in assuming responsibility										
5. Ability to evaluate & to adapt to new situations and information										
6. Exemplifies high ethical standards										
7. Demonstrates leadership skills & initiative and self motivation										
8. Demonstrates interest in the well-being of others										
9. Identifies problems, develops solutions & evaluates outcomes										
10. Attends class consistently & shows up on time for scheduled meetings										
C. Clinical										
1. Integrates research & theory into clinical practice										
2. Demonstration of knowledge & use of clinical methods & materials										
3. Ability to self-assess clinical performance self-evaluating skills/personal insight										
4. Appropriate pursuit of assistance from supervisor										
5. Overall clinical competence										
6. Overall clinical potential										
D. Potential for success as a graduate student										