



# Investing Now Recommendation Form

**Submit to:**  
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**Student:** Please complete the top portion of this form. Give the form to the guidance counselor or teacher of your choice to complete. Ask your recommender to email this form to the above-noted address.

**Upon receiving your completed application, our team will schedule a follow-up interview with eligible candidates. Final notification of acceptance will be communicated by the University Educational Outreach Center staff.**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Recommender: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Student's School: \_\_\_\_\_

**Guidance Counselor/ Teacher:** The above student is applying to the INVESTING NOW Program. This program prepares students with strong interest and academic talent for careers in science, technology, engineering, and math. Please complete this recommendation in as candid a manner as possible. Feel free to add comments on the back.

Please comment on the students'...	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	N/A
Ability to organize <i>themselves</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Perseverance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ability to persist through challenges (academic and social)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Participation during group activities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Level of maturity (in relation to classmates)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ability to manage time effectively	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Enthusiasm for hands-on projects	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Respect for peers, adults, and classroom materials	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Love of learning	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ability to communicate effectively	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

How long have you known this student and in what capacity?  
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What are some of the student's academic and personal strengths?  
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What are some of the student's academic and personal weaknesses?  
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