

## Camper Assessment Form



Accept student to Tech Trek ☐

Enter student on Alternate List ☐

### Reviewer Instructions:

There are four items to consider when gauging whether a student will be a good fit for the AAUW California Tech Trek Program—the student nomination form, application, essay and interview. Use the guide below to evaluate each portion of the process.

**NOTE: The AAUW National Tech Trek Program seeks to be diverse and inclusive in its outreach. It is a priority that girls are selected who may not have exposure to inspiring STEM programs. Please take into account your knowledge of a girl when nominating her, and whether she would truly benefit from this experience.**

Camper Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Middle School: \_\_\_\_\_

**Part One: The Student Nomination spreadsheet provided by teacher will contain the following information:**

*IN YOUR OPINION, please rate the student in the following areas on a scale of 1-100:*

- How self-directed is the student?
- How much access to STEM programs does the student have?
- How excited is the student about STEM subjects?
- What is the likelihood the student will attend college?
- What is the likelihood the student will enter a STEM career field?
- Please provide an Overall recommendation score on a scale of 1-100.
- Please provide any other comments about why this student should be selected for Tech Trek camp.

**Based on comments:**

**Nomination Form Score:** \_\_\_\_\_

Would not recommend for Tech Trek ☐ 1

Would recommend for Tech Trek ☐ 2

Would strongly recommend for Tech Trek ☐ 3

### Part 2: Student Application Essay

Use the chart below as criteria/scoring for review of the student essay:

- 1 – Poorly written, minimal information, does not answer the question
- 2 – Somewhat well written, lacks creativity or demonstrates only mild interest in math and science
- 3 – Well written and thought out, creative and indicates that the student has genuine interest in math and/or science

**Essay Score:** \_\_\_\_

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### Part 3: Student Interview

Score	Excellent candidate = 3	Good candidate = 2	Poor candidate = 1
<b>Student interview</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Interested in STEM subjects</li> <li>Interested in STEM career options</li> <li>Has/will not have the opportunity to go to a STEM camp outside of Tech Trek</li> <li>Does not seem overly concerned about being away from family</li> <li>Excited to take on new challenges</li> <li>Looks forward to being on a college campus</li> <li>Does not seem worried about spending a week with new people</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Somewhat interested in STEM, likes science and math even if they are not a favorite subject</li> <li>Potential interest in a STEM field</li> <li>Hesitant about being away from family but still willing to go</li> <li>Sometimes takes on new challenges</li> <li>Somewhat concerned about being with new people but still excited</li> <li>Has attended STEM activities but not a STEM camp</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not very interested in STEM subjects</li> <li>Has not thought about a career in a STEM field</li> <li>Nervous or anxious about being away from home</li> <li>Does not like to try new things</li> <li>Worried or apprehensive at the idea of being with many girls she doesn't know and meeting new people</li> <li>Has attended many other STEM camps and/or plans to do so during the course of the summer</li> </ul>

**Student Interview Score:** \_\_\_\_

**Total Score:** \_\_\_\_

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**Notes:**