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**Recommendation Letter Outline**
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- 1. **Header**
- Your Name
- Your Title/Position
- Your Institution/Organization
- Your Address
- City, State, Zip Code
- Email Address
- Phone Number
- Date
- 2. **Salutation**
- "Dear [Recipient's Name/Admissions Committee],"
- 3. **Introduction**
- Your relationship to the student
- Duration of your acquaintance
- General statement about the student's character or accomplishments
- 4. **Body Paragraph 1: Academic Performance**
 - Specific examples of the student's academic strengths
- Relevant coursework or projects
- Observations on their work ethic and intellectual curiosity
- 5. **Body Paragraph 2: Personal Qualities**
- Description of the student's interpersonal skills
- Examples of teamwork, leadership, or initiative
- Character traits that make them stand out
- 6. **Body Paragraph 3: Achievements and Contributions**
- Notable achievements (awards, projects, extracurricular activities)
- Contributions to the school/community
- Any special skills or talents
- 7. **Conclusion**
- Summary of your recommendation
- Statement of confidence in the student's future success
- Offer to provide additional information if needed
- 8. **Closing**
- "Sincerely,"
- Your Name
- Your Title/Position
- 9. **Optional: Enclosure**
- Note if there are any additional documents enclosed with the letter (e.g., resume, transcripts)