



REAL LIFE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT RECOMMENDATION FORM

Dear Recommender,

The student giving you this recommendation form is applying for a \$5,000 college scholarship that awards Real Life refugee or immigrant teens in the community. A total of \$11,000 in scholarship funds will be awarded.

This is a needs based scholarship. In addition to need, we are looking for refugee/immigrant students who meet the following qualifications:

- Have a refugee or immigrant background
- Be a current or past Real Life participant
- Be accepted to a college or university
- Have a minimum 2.5 GPA
- Complete FAFSA (Pell eligible)

DEADLINE

The deadline for all parts of the application is **Sunday, March 15, 2020**. No incomplete or late applications will be considered. We hope you have received this form in a timely manner and can assist the student in providing this recommendation as part of his or her application.

TO SUBMIT YOUR FORM

Please fill out the form, save it, and **email it directly** to the Youthlinc Real Life Director, Shelly Burningham, at shelly@youthlinc.org Questions contact Shelly at 801-467-4417 ext. 705.

RECOMMENDER INFORMATION

Your Name:

Phone Number:

Applicant's Name:

Applicant's School:

How do you know the applicant?

How long have you known the applicant?

COMMENT SECTION

Please offer an honest evaluation of this individual *as compared* to other students you know meeting the same criteria. For example, what are the financial needs of this student? In your opinion, how prepared is this student for college? Please add what you know concerning the students academics, leadership, community service and other obligations. Your comments will be kept confidential. Please limit your comments to one page.

