

*Reflections*—Central Virginia Summer Regional Governor’s School Program  
for Middle School Students Gifted in the Visual Arts

**2012 Teacher Recommendation**

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

How long have you known the student, and in what capacity? \_\_\_\_\_

In your professional opinion, is this student **gifted** in the visual arts? \_\_\_\_\_

Taking into consideration all of the art students you have taught, how does this student rank? \_\_\_\_\_

Please rate this student based on the descriptions below.

Please note: Your assessment will be considered in selecting students for this competitive program.  
Be as clear as possible regarding this student’s strengths, abilities, and weaknesses.

	highest			lowest
1. Motivation and initiative	4	3	2	1
2. Intellectual curiosity	4	3	2	1
3. Originality of ideas, creativity	4	3	2	1
4. Attitude toward learning	4	3	2	1
5. Ability to accept ideas of others	4	3	2	1
6. Ability to complete visual art projects	4	3	2	1
7. Quality of artwork	4	3	2	1

Comments: **Please describe how this student’s performance compares with other outstanding students you have taught throughout your career. (Use reverse side if necessary.)**

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Teacher signature \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Charlottesville City, Albemarle, Greene, and Nelson County teachers, please return by **March 9, 2012** to:

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Teachers of private school/home school students return by **March 9, 2012** to  
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