

CONGRESS-BUNDESTAG YOUTH EXCHANGE

2023-24 VOCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

NOMINATOR RECOMMENDATION

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Applicant's Name: _		Applicant's Telephone:		
Applicant's Email:	Applicant Email Address	Applicant City	State	Zip
Nominator's Name:		School Name:		·
School Address:				
	Street Name & Number	School City	State	Zip

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLATED BY A PRINCIPAL, TEACHER, OR GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

Dear Nominator: Your answers to the questions on this form will be evaluated along with the student's own application materials to ascertain their rank in the competition for this unique scholarship program. Therefore, we ask you to answer questions as carefully and completely as possible. Upon completion, please email the form to <u>CBYX@nacelopendoor.org</u> and put the student's name in the subject line. <u>DEADLINE FOR THE COMPLETE APPLICATION IS JANUARY 10, 2023.</u> Thank you for assisting your student in their quest to participate in the Congress-Bundestag Youth Exchange Vocational Scholarship Program.

1. Please describe the student's behavior with respect to authority, peer relationships, class participation, group activities, and individual schoolwork.

2. Research indicates that these factors are important for successful intercultural adjustment:

• Curiosity

- Tolerance of differences
- Ability to communicate
- Adaptability/flexibility

- Self-motivation
- Sense of humor

- Open-mindedness
- Ability to tolerate failure

Please address the student's strengths and weaknesses with respect to these factors. Provide specific examples if possible.

PART II: PERSONAL ASSESMENT BY THE NOMINATOR

We ask you to be candid and go into specific detail with your answers. You serve as the student's character reference, and because you know the student personally, your answers to these questions carry a great deal of weight with the Selection Committee.

1. What talents, interests, and skills does this student have to contribute? If possible, please give concrete examples of when you have observed the student demonstrating these qualities.

A. To a school?

B. To a community?

C. To a family?

2. Overall, what kind of candidate do you think this student would be for a yearlong international school/homestay program (exceptional, average, below average)? Why?

3. How long have you known this student? ______

4. Check one of the following:

I strongly recommend this applicant.

I recommend this applicant.

I do not recommend this applicant. I have some reservations. (Please explain in a separate document.)

PART III: NOMINATOR INFORMATION & SIGNATURE

Name of Nominator: _____

Email: ______ Telephone: ______

_____ Title: _____

I agree that this checkbox, along with my name above and signature below, constitutes an electronic signature on this CBYX Vocational Scholarship Form. I further agree that this electronic signature is the legally binding equivalent to my handwritten signature.

