

# GirlsDoMath Summer Camp Recommendation Form

Camp applicant's full name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of person completing this form: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Information: E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to student: \_\_\_\_\_

**Information for the recommending teacher/counselor**

Thank you for the time you are taking to complete this recommendation form. The GirlsDoMath Camp is a mathematics enrichment camp for girls entering 8<sup>th</sup> or 9<sup>th</sup> grade. Participants will investigate and research advanced mathematics topics (such as groups & symmetries, combinatorics, and fractals) that are not typically included in a traditional curriculum. The topics will be introduced at a beginner level with no prior exposure to the topic expected. We are seeking girls who are highly motivated, enthusiastic about math, and capable mathematics students.

Admission to the camp is competitive and we place a high value on the input from a teacher or counselor who can speak to the student's ability to actively contribute to and benefit from such a program. Your carefully considered judgments will assist us with the admission process. Please complete this form and e-mail to Tracii Friedman at ([tfriedma@coloradomesa.edu](mailto:tfriedma@coloradomesa.edu)).

For full consideration, complete applications must be received by Friday, May 27, 2022. If you have questions, please contact Dr. Tracii Friedman ([tfriedma@coloradomesa.edu](mailto:tfriedma@coloradomesa.edu)) or Dr. Lisa Driskell ([ldriskel@coloradomesa.edu](mailto:ldriskel@coloradomesa.edu)).

I. How well do you know the applicant? Very well \_\_\_\_\_ Somewhat \_\_\_\_\_ Slightly \_\_\_\_\_

II. Please rate the applicant in each of the following categories.

Attributes	Excellent	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Poor	Unable to Rate
Enthusiasm for Mathematics						
Mathematics Ability/Aptitude						
Creative Thinking						
Analytical Skills						
Social Skills (Works well in groups)						
Shows Initiative; Highly motivated						
Displays Positive Attitude						
Attendance						
Respectfulness						
Maturity/Acts Responsibly						
Ability to keep commitments/ meet deadlines						
Leadership Potential						

**III. Please provide a brief statement addressing the applicant's strengths and weaknesses as they pertain to this camp. Information regarding how the applicant will contribute to and benefit from the camp is particularly helpful. If you rated the applicant "Below Average" or "Poor" for any of the attributes in Part II of this form, please address your rating(s) in this statement. You are welcome to attach a separate letter, if desired.**

**IV. Overall impression of candidate:** (please circle one)

Highly recommend

Recommend

Recommend with reservation

Do not recommend

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_