



Volunteer MPS

Minneapolis Community Education

Volunteer Reference Check Form

Volunteer Name: _____

Reference Name: _____

1. How long and how well have you known the applicant?

2. Do you believe that the applicant would be a reliable and trustworthy volunteer for the public schools?

3. Briefly describe the applicant's relationship with friends, co-workers, clients, peers, classmates, etc.

4. Describe (applicant's) relationship with children (has he/she worked with children individually or in groups?)

5. Have you had the opportunity to observe the applicant when s/he has interacted with people whose backgrounds are totally different from her/his own? (age, ability, ethnicity, religion, socioeconomic level, education, race, etc.) How would you rate her/his openness to other's values, lifestyles, cultures, interests, etc.?

6. Have you ever been concerned about the applicant's use of alcohol or other drugs?

7. Would you be comfortable having (applicant), as a school volunteer, working with your child or a child close to you?

8. Do you know of any reason why the applicant would not serve well as a school volunteer?