URBAN DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING SCHOOL

CONFIDENTIAL REFERENCE

TO BE COMPLETED BY YOUR TEACHER OR EMPLOYER

(someone who knows you in the classroom or work setting)

CANDIDATE DETAILS (TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT)

Name of Applicant: _____

Current Address : _____

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Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Course Applied for _____ Starting Date: _____

YOUTH WITH A MISSION AND THE DTS

Youth with a Mission (YWAM) is a world-wide inter-denominational missionary organisation which was founded in 1960, and provides opportunities for Christian service on a short or long-term basis. You can find out more by visiting Youth With A Mission YWAM England and YWAM Derby

The person named above has listed you as their employer or teacher and as such we would ask you to act as a referee for their application to attend this YWAM course. Thank you for your willingness to help us in this process. This Urban Discipleship Training School (UDTS) includes at least 12 weeks of a combination of lectures and local urban outreach, with an overseas outreach following, providing an opportunity for the trainee to use their skills. It is, therefore, not in the applicant's best interest to give an unrealistically positive view of them. An honest, realistic appraisal of the challenges they will face will help rather than hinder their application. If you would prefer to give your opinions by telephone, please feel free to do so.

We need to receive this form before we can process the application – ***thank you for returning it as soon as possible.***

PERSONALITY/CHARACTER PROFILE

Please assess the applicant on the qualities listed below according to the following evaluation system:

1 Usually 2 Often 3 Sometimes 4 Rarely

Healthy _____	Loner _____	Aggressor _____	Worrier _____
Leader _____	Disruptive ____	Enthusiastic _____	Co-operative ____
Reliable _____	Initiator _____	Team worker ____	Energetic _____

ABILITY TO WORK IN TEAMS

The applicant will be living & working closely with others for an extended period. Please answer/comment on the following:

1. The applicant's attitude to work: _____

   _____

   _____

2. The quality and character of his/her work: _____

   _____

   _____

3. The applicant's maturity in making judgements: _____

   _____

   _____

4. The applicant's ability to be part of a team: _____

   _____

   _____

5. The applicant's ability to handle conflict: _____

   _____

   _____

6. Have we overlooked anything which you consider relevant to this application? _____

   _____

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FINALLY…

Do you think participation in the YWAM UDTS would be beneficial for the applicant?

YES (unreservedly) _____ YES (with some reservations) _____ NO _____

If you have reservations, your comments would be helpful : _____

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I know the applicant: very well _____ quite well _____ a little _____ very little _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____

What is your relationship with the applicant? _____ e.g. *employer, teacher*

NAME

_____

ADDRESS

_____

_____

TEL ._____ EMAIL _____

SIGNED: _____ Date: _____

Please return this Confidential Reference to:

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