



Epi Company Reference Form

(1 Parent, 1 Family Friend)

Required for new student to Epicenter for the Arts auditioning for Epi Mini, Epi Junior, Epi Teen, Prodigy Pro, Epi Pro, Protégé Ballet Company, Pre Prima Ballet Company and Prima Ballet Company.

*Current Epicenter students do not need to fill out this form

TO THE APPLICANT: Complete the information about you. Give each reference a stamped, addressed envelope for them to send the form directly to Epi Company c/o Epicenter for the Arts.

TO THE PERSON PROVIDING THE REFERENCE: The below-named has applied for participation in the Epi Company Program. We would greatly appreciate your careful and thoughtful consideration to the questions asked on the attached form. All evaluation forms will be kept in strict confidence and will not be shown to the Applicant. Serious consideration will be given to your evaluation. Please provide us with as much information regarding the Applicant's aptitude for the Epi Company Program. Your early response will be most appreciated, as the Applicant's file cannot be considered until this office receives all forms. Please mail the form directly to:

Epicenter for the Arts
2911 E State Hwy 114
Southlake, TX 76092

Thank you for taking your time in this way. We sincerely appreciate your cooperation. For more information about all of our programs, please visit our website at www.epiarts.com

Name of Applicant_____

Applicant's Phone Number_____

Address_____

City_____ State_____ Zip_____

THE FOLLOWING IS TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REFERENCE:

How long have you known the Applicant: Years_____ Months_____

What is your relationship to him/her? (Circle)

Parent

Family

Friend

Other_____

How well do you know the Applicant? (Circle)

Name/Sight

Casual Fairly

Well

Very Close

What strengths will this applicant bring to the community? (Strengths of character, personality, talent, etc.)

Evaluation of the applicant's emotional and spiritual maturity:

This applicant has applied to participate in the Epi Company Program. Please rate this applicant in terms of how he/she would fit into such a program by placing a checkmark in the box next to the appropriate characteristic.

TEAMWORK

- ☐ Often causes friction
- ☐ Usually cooperative
- ☐ Works well with others
- ☐ Eager to serve as needed

LEADERSHIP

- ☐ Makes no effort to lead
- ☐ Tries but lacks ability
- ☐ Has leadership promise
- ☐ Unusual ability to lead

WILLINGNESS TO SERVE

- ☐ Reluctant
- ☐ Motives confused
- ☐ Willing to serve
- ☐ Eager to serve

Check any of the following that you feel are motivating the Applicant to participate in the Epi Company Program. You may check more than one box.

- ☐ Meet new friends
- ☐ Desire to spread the Gospel
- ☐ Receive training and discipleship
- ☐ Desire to minister to others
- ☐ Love of Dance ☐ Other (specify)

Rank each section below from 1-5 by circling the number you believe best describes the applicant.

1) Poor 2) Minimal 3) Average 4) Excellent 5) Outstanding

Social Poise	1	2	3	4	5
Positive contagious spirit	1	2	3	4	5
Self confidence	1	2	3	4	5
Ability to receive correction	1	2	3	4	5
Emotional stability	1	2	3	4	5
Ability to submit to leadership	1	2	3	4	5
Servant attitude	1	2	3	4	5
Teachable attitude	1	2	3	4	5
Ability to deal with interpersonal conflicts	1	2	3	4	5
Ability to communicate clearly	1	2	3	4	5
Ability to motivate others	1	2	3	4	5
Ability to handle conflict	1	2	3	4	5
Respect for boundaries	1	2	3	4	5

Evaluation of the Applicant's skill and training:

(To be answered only by those who are qualified to evaluate Applicant's skill.)

Please circle the appropriate description.

Ballet:	Doubtful	Adequate	Highly competent	Superior
Jazz:	Doubtful	Adequate	Highly competent	Superior
Contemporary:	Doubtful	Adequate	Highly competent	Superior
Hip Hop:	Doubtful	Adequate	Highly competent	Superior

What is your overall evaluation of the Applicant's promise as an Epi Company member?

(If you have reservations about his/her suitability, please elaborate on a separate sheet of paper.)

- ☐ Definitely unsuitable
- ☐ At this time, I feel the Applicant is not suited.
- ☐ A good prospect, but I do have some reservations
- ☐ An average prospect
- ☐ An above-average prospect
- ☐ An unusually exceptional prospect

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name (please print): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Zip: _____ Phone Number: _____ Email: _____