

TERRA

Student Application Form

Personal Information - Please Print Clearly

Last Name:	First Name:	Middle Initial:
Birthdate:	Gender:	OEN #:
Home Address:	City/Town:	
Postal Code:	Home Phone Number:	Grade:
Email Address:	Home School:	
English Teacher:	Semester Preferred:	

On a separate piece of paper:

Please answer the following questions using complete sentences, typed, and a new paragraph for each question:

1. What are your reasons for applying to TERRA?
2. What skills, experiences and background do you feel you will bring to the TERRA program?
3. Please include any other information about yourself that you would like to share with the TERRA selection committee.

Ask two teachers to be your reference:

You need your Grade 9 English teacher and one other high school teacher to complete the attached reference forms. Each teacher can submit the completed form to the Guidance Office on your behalf before the course options deadline.

Submit your forms:

Hand in your forms to the Guidance Office, and complete your myBlueprint registration by the course options deadline.

Wait for the selection process:

- Beginning of March - All options are due in myBlueprint and forms to the Guidance Office.
- After March Break - Decision is made to run one or two semesters of TERRA.
- Beginning of April - Interviews (if required) are conducted at your home school.
- Mid April - All students will be contacted by letter or phone call.
- For more information please contact Mr. Peter Glaab at 519.822.4290 ext. 358 or peter.glaab@wellingtoncdsb.ca



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English Teacher Reference Form

To be Completed by the Applicant:

Student's Name: _____

Present School: _____

Name of English Teacher Reference: _____

To be Completed by the English Teacher Reference:

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1. From your knowledge of this student, do you feel these objectives are a concern? _____

2. How long have you known the candidate? _____

Please check the descriptor which best fits the student:

Dependability	Co-operation
Very dependable	Very co-operative, helpful
Reliable, generally can be counted upon	Co-operates willingly
Often requires prompting	Co-operates when asked
Requires close supervision	Not always co-operative

Initiative	Attendance
Self motivated, seeks little direction	Excellent record
Occasionally seeks/needs direction	Satisfactory attendance
Often needs direction	Frequently absent
Shows little initiative even with direction	High number of absences

Communication Skills	Quality of Work
Effective and accurate	Very thorough, few errors
Usually effective	Usually thorough
Acceptable skills	Satisfactory
Experiences some difficulty	Some improvement needed

Teacher Signature: _____ Date: _____

Thank you for your time. Please return directly to Guidance before the course options deadline.



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Teacher Reference Form

To be Completed by the Applicant:

Student's Name: _____

Present School: _____

Name of Teacher Reference: _____

To be Completed by the Teacher Reference:

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Teacher Signature: _____ Date: _____

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