

## **Scholarship Recommendation Form**

<u>Instructions:</u> Thank you for being a recommender for the PCAFPD scholarship. Recommendations are used as part of the selection process. Please type your information below and provide a digital copy to the applicant for submission. Hand written responses will not be accepted.

## Recommender Information

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Applicant Information: Use additional pages as needed

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Current School: Eastern Visayas Regional Science High School

## Recommendation

PCAFPD scholars are chosen on the basis of their financial need, academic performance, and commitment to community service and leadership. As the applicant's reference, please describe the applicant's demonstrated leadership skills, accomplishments, and impacts on your community and any other relevant information you feel the committee should know about the applicant.

It is with great pride and confidence that I write this letter of recommendation for Camille Joy Yap, who was not only my student but also a member of our school's research team under my supervision as her adviser and coach in several academic competitions, including the Regional Science, Technology, and Mathematics Fair (RSTMF).

Throughout our time working together, Camille consistently demonstrated the rare combination of intellectual excellence, unshakable determination, and a heart devoted to service. She represented our school with exceptional poise and brilliance in the RSTMF, where her project stood out for its originality, scientific merit, and relevance. Beyond reaching the regional level—a feat in itself—she was recognized at the school level with *Best Poster*, *Best Presenter*, and *Best Research Paper awards*.

What sets her apart is not just her academic ability, but her **grit**. She approaches every challenge with a deep sense of purpose and resilience. Whether it's refining a research hypothesis or mobilizing classmates during school outreach programs, she leads with both intellect and heart.

As a student leader, she has always been the type to lead by example. I've seen her step up during community initiatives, school drives, and events—not just organizing, but *inspiring* others to care and act. Her leadership style is thoughtful and inclusive, which has made a lasting impact on both her peers and our faculty.

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Given her strong academic record, her proven leadership, and her clear commitment to uplifting others, I wholeheartedly recommend her for the PCAFPD scholarship. I am confident that she will not only benefit from this opportunity but will also use it as a platform to give back to her community and country in meaningful ways.

John Kenneth D. Allando.

June, 1, 2025