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| **Childcare reference** *This person is applying to be an au pair abroad:* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Au pair name | |  | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Date of birth | |  | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| *I know this person as our:* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ☐ Babysitter | ☐ Nanny/au-pair | | | | | ☐ Employee (nursery-school) | | | | ☐ Club leader | | | ☐ Trainee (learning to be child-carer) | | | | | ☐ Other (please specify) | | |
| I have known this person since: | | | | | | | |  | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dates: start and end of childcare: | | | | | | | |  | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| *Ages (at the start of childcare), sex and number of children the candidate looked after:* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ……………Boy(s) | | | | Age(s):……………. | | | | | | ………….Girl(s) | | | | | Age(s):…………….. | | | | | |
| *Duties included* | |  | | | | | | |  | | |  | | | | |  | | | |
| ☐ Nappy   changing | | ☐ Light  housework | | | | | | | ☐ Playing &   reading | | | ☐ Help with   homework | | | | | ☐ Caring for sick   child | | | |
| ☐ Bath time | | ☐ Child under 2 | | | | | | | ☐ Bed time | | | ☐ Food shopping | | | | | ☐ Simple cooking | | | |
| ☐ Potty training | | ☐ Bottle feed &   preparation | | | | | | | ☐ Help getting  dressed | | | ☐ Meal time/spoon   feeding | | | | | ☐ Outings   & excursions | | | |
| *Please rate* | | | | | | |  | | | |  | | |  | | | | |  | |
|  | | | | | | | Excellent | | | | Good | | | Fair | | | | | N/A | |
| Communication with children | | | | | | | ☐ | | | | ☐ | | | ☐ | | | | | ☐ | |
| Entertain/play with children | | | | | | | ☐ | | | | ☐ | | | ☐ | | | | | ☐ | |
| Patience | | | | | | | ☐ | | | | ☐ | | | ☐ | | | | | ☐ | |
| Flexibility | | | | | | | ☐ | | | | ☐ | | | ☐ | | | | | ☐ | |
| Able to follow instructions | | | | | | | ☐ | | | | ☐ | | | ☐ | | | | | ☐ | |
| Communication with adults | | | | | | | ☐ | | | | ☐ | | | ☐ | | | | | ☐ | |
| General work quality | | | | | | | ☐ | | | | ☐ | | | ☐ | | | | | ☐ | |
| General attitude | | | | | | | ☐ | | | | ☐ | | | ☐ | | | | | ☐ | |
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| Would you recommend this person to work with children? | | | | | | | | | | | | | ☐ Yes | | ☐ No | | | | | |
| Any comments? | | |  | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Referee’s name/position\* | | | | |  | | | | | | | Speaks English: | | | | ☐ Yes | | | | No |
| Address and email | | | | |  | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Telephone | | | | | Daytime: | | | | | | | Evening: | | | | | | | | |
| Signature (electronic) & date | | | | |  | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Reserved for administration only | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

By giving your reference you give permission to be contacted.