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To Whom It May Concern:

I am pleased to recommend Haley Hollis to your attention. She distinguishes herself as a creative, mature and motivated student with diverse interests and the drive to succeed.

Haley enrolled in my Spanish 1 class in the fall semester of 2016. From the outset I could see that Haley takes a winning approach to her studies. She strives to assimilate new knowledge and apply it immediate to better herself. In terms of Spanish, rather than pursuing superficial test preparation, Haley asks critical questions about how she can use new information. To her credit, she is not timid about requesting clarification; rather, she wants to double check that her understanding is accurate and can be put to use properly in the spoken and written word. Haley's learning style is serving her well in Spanish class, as evidenced by her writing and speaking, both of which are improving much more quickly than the average.

Consider Haley's extracurricular activities as a glimpse of her strong character. She has played several sports, most notably softball and swimming; to both sports she has given years of dedication and continues to compete on the swim team to this day. She also works part time at a local office supplies store, and still manages to maintain A's and B's in all of her classes, with an overall average of 3.57. She finds creative expression in drama and wishes to pursue a double major of English and theater. The can-do attitude of Haley Hollis convinces me that she will achieve this and more.

In addition to Haley's grit and maturity, she also exhibits warm friendliness and cooperation with her peers. She is an asset to my class, to her work, to the sports teams on which she participates, and to her peer group in general. I strongly recommend Haley Hollis, and I urge you not to miss the opportunity to work with this talented and creative student.

Sincerely,

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