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To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to recommend Tomiko Wilkerson for a teaching position at your school. I had the pleasure of working directly with Tomiko during her time as a classroom teacher at River Oaks Elementary, and her tremendous abilities never ceased to amaze me. I was the team leader for the 5th grade team, of which she was a part, and I feel confident that I have a strong understanding of the type of person she is and the contributions she could make to your campus.

Tomiko is one of the hardest working people I know. She is committed to student learning and she will do whatever it takes to help her students succeed. She is compassionate and understanding, but firm and has high expectations. Tomiko is an innovative thinker, willing to step outside the box and try new strategies to engage students. She is also level-headed and willing to look at the big picture to know how best to address a situation.

Tomiko is able to work effectively with co-workers, making her a great addition to any team. She pitches in to help colleagues, new and old, and considers herself a life-long learner. She is passionate about her work and she thrives in situations where those around her are passionate as well. She brings ideas to the table and is always willing to share her knowledge, but she is also open to new ideas and continues to seek out professional development opportunities for her own growth.

With her abilities, passion, and dedication, Tomiko will make a great addition to your staff. I have no doubts you will be exceptionally pleased if you hire her. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at the above address.

Sincerely,

Liz Goodman

IBPYP Coordinator