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Letter of Recommendation

Candidate: EMMA CARELLA

Credential: MULTIPLE SUBJECT PRELIMINARY

December 1, 2014

To Whom It May Concern,

I have had the pleasure of working with Emma Carella as a Student Teacher Supervisor for the Saint Mary's Credential Program from September 2014 through December 2014. Her student teaching placement for Student Teaching II was in a 3rd grade classroom at Quail Run EMS in the San Ramon Unified School District.

I have found Miss Carella to be a thoughtful and dedicated student teacher. Her lesson plans reflect the California Common Core Standards, and she pays special attention to link her lessons to her students backgrounds and interests. Her lesson plans are clear and easy to understand as is her direct instruction to her students in both small and whole group instruction. She uses a variety of instructional strategies and technologies to hook her students and keep them motivated to learn through out her lessons. She keeps learning light and fun for her students. She holds high standards for both her students behavior and achievement.

Miss Carella has become an integral part of the 3rd grade team at Quail Run. She has taken extra time to meet with teachers, work as a substitute instructor in many of the classrooms, attend collaborative meetings, and work with parents and other members of the school community.

Miss Carella posses many qualities of a top notch teacher and I wish her a great future in teaching. If you have any further questions please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,


Signature of Writer of Evaluation

PAMELA DECARLI
Type/Print Name of Writer of Evaluation

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