To Whom It May Concern:

Above and beyond. Eager to learn and work hard. An affable and humble leader.

This is Ezra Finton, and I have had the great pleasure of teaching him English over the past two school years. Ezra is driven to succeed, consistently going beyond requirements in his work by doing extra research, giving highly detailed answers and taking advantage of extra credit opportunities, even though he does not need them to maintain an A.

Ezra also displays a consistent drive to learn and improve, initiating writing conferences as well as informal communication with me often to hone his skills. He even chose to add an elective poetry class to his schedule because he desires to perfect his reading analysis skills for his required honors English class — a testament to his hard-working, teachable character.

Besides his drive towards excellence, Ezra is one of those rare people that everyone enjoys being around because his warm, friendly demeanor immediately sets them at ease. He looks for ways he can help others and is ready to step in to lead in such an encouraging way that people want to follow.

I highly commend Ezra Finton to you and wish I had a classroom full of students like him in his standards, teachability, diligence and ability to work with others. Please do not hesitate to contact me to discuss his qualifications further.

Sincerely,

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