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To Whom It May Concern:

Please allow this letter to serve as a recommendation that Mrs. Rebekah Laurenzi be considered for any Art Education positions that you may have open. Mrs. Laurenzi's expertise, passion, and dedication made her an invaluable member of our school community and would make her an outstanding choice to further your fine arts program. In everything that she does, Mrs. Laurenzi gives her all, and the products of the students in her classes are the proof that it is all worthwhile.

In the classroom, Rebekah takes the idea of content integration very seriously. Each project that she designs has not only elements of art, but an incorporation of other curriculum concepts. She is in constant communication with grade level teachers to ensure that she is bringing what they are discussing in the classroom to life in the art room. Her lessons are filled with historical and cultural context and often incorporate science, social studies, and language arts into them seamlessly.

Outside of the classroom, Mrs. Laurenzi constantly served as an ambassador of Farmingotn Elementary School in the community and within the school. She supplied art to various community partners to display student work and to form relationships with local businesses. Additionally, Rebekah kept our school visually appealing with her features of student work in the hallways. To keep parents abreast of the projects that their students have completed, Mrs. Laurenzi posted each student work of art to the Artsonia website. This allowed parents to see their children's artwork, purchase items featuring that artwork, and served as a fundraiser for the art program.

Rebekah Laurenzi's dedication to her students was truly a blessing to our school. She volunteered to sponsor an art club to further a passion for art in students. This club chose a project and then completed the project as an addition to the décor of Farmington Elementary. In the spring, Rebekah organized an art show where every student in the school displayed their favorite piece of art from the year.

Please consider Mrs. Rebekah Laurenzi's dedication, service, and passion when choosing someone to further your fine arts program, and specifically your visual arts program. I am saddened to lose Mrs. Rebekah Laurenzi as an Art Educator in our school and system, but our loss is definitely your gain.

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