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To whomsoever it concerns,

I highly recommend Dr. Marwa Eltanahy as a candidate for the position at your organization.

As director of American School of Creative Science, I have the pleasure of working with Dr. Marwa.

She is a driven, organized leader who develops inspiring relationships with her team and leads.

Dr. Marwa Eltanahy has been working at the American School of Creative Science (ASCS). Maliha for the last two years. She was hired as a head of science department in 2018-2019. According to her outstanding achievements, she was promoted to work as our curriculum coordinator for the academic year 2019-2020. During these two academic years, as a director of elementary school, I have been able to appreciate the consistent work ethics maintained by Marwa. She is a dedicated educator who is very knowledgeable within the field of education and all its aspects. In addition, her commitment to the promotion of life-long learning skills within the community of learning including students, teachers, administrators and parents represents professional qualities that all educators should develop across time to enhance students' independent learning abilities. Marwa has shown us that it is possible. Across these two years, to incorporate effective instruction of teaching and learning STEAM that included consistent participation of all core subject teachers across grades, which gave us vital input on how to incorporate STEM framework within our curriculum at the school, where she was able to guide, encourage and motivate all subject teachers to cooperate and collaborate effectively to implement STEAM projects in their classes as well as to integrate technology and utilize different interactive platforms in order to provide better distance experiences.

I believe Dr. Marwa has been one of the pivotal professionals who assisted us in the development of curriculum through utilizing Backward design to develop the curriculum of core subjects (English, Math & Science). In addition to how to analyze data of international exams to inform curriculum, instruction and personalized activities to address all students' needs that enhance both attainment and progress of our ASCS learners. Her keen knowledge of curriculum, instruction, assessment, teaching and learning along with her expertise on research methods, positive attitude, organization, strong leadership, communication and presentation skills have qualified her to become a member of our accreditation team for NEASC self-evaluation and evidence collection. Moreover, she is a certified Visible learning trainer who was able to train our teachers and follow up their implementation for better practices. Through the efforts of Dr. Marwa, the school has been able to grow in many areas that include: the promotion of further 21th century skills and scientific literacy, effective use of assessment data (MAP, CAT ...etc.) to enhance the quality of learning provided in the school, consistent integration of knowledge and practices from different disciplines to provide students with more meaningful learning opportunities, managing effective lesson cycle, expanding the capacity of teacher leadership at the school, leading a big team of teachers and solve their problems and address their needs through training, evaluation and guidance for better performance and outcomes. That is why, she developed a strong reputation among a large group of colleagues, students and parents for professionalism and wonderful rapport with people of all ages.

Yours Faithfully

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