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## **Wasatch Elementary School**

SALT LAKE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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To Whom It May Concern,

I am very pleased to introduce and recommend Adree Fairbanks for a teaching position in your school district. Adree's six week student teaching experience was with my first grade class. She was organized, had a clear understanding of the core curriculum, and prepared hands-on lessons. Her lessons were appropriate because of her careful planning.

Every day Adree planned and prepared learning lessons. She taught a science unit on the life cycle of various plants and animals and a math based unit on measurement. She used hands-on activities, games, songs, and independent practice to create interest in her lessons. Her enthusiasm for these units showed her positive attitude and love of teaching. Children remembered what they learned because of the real life experiences.

Adree was a professional when dealing with parents, children and staff. She was perceptive to the needs of children and followed through with discipline. She made time before and after school to establish clear expectations. She was pleasant to the faculty and principal. She planned weekly with me and discussed how she wanted to implement her ideas.

Adree would make a wonderful addition to your faculty. She is dedicated, cheerful, positive, and reliable to her commitment as a teacher. My students and I have gleaned from her experience with us.

Sincerely,

Rebecca Y. Johnson

Wasatch Elementary Salt Lake City, Utah

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