



April 24, 2011

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is written in support of Ms. Kailyn Getchell who seeks a position as a School Counselor. Ms. Getchell is a graduate student in the School Counseling program in the Department of Counselor Education at Bridgewater State University. She began her program of studies in the spring 2010 with an anticipated graduation of December 2011. I teach the group course and core school counseling courses. Ms. Getchell completed several courses with me during the fall 2010 semester: Group I: Theory and Process of Group Interaction, Applied: School Counseling, and Foundations in School Counseling

Ms. Getchell has shown herself to be a dedicated student and invested in the learning process. In my courses, she demonstrated both willingness and openness to practice counseling skills, was an active participant in exercises and activities in each course as well as she actively sought feedback from her peers and from me as the course instructor. In addition to skills acquisition, Ms. Getchell worked diligently to learn about the Ma Model and the ASCA National Model and has experience with developing and delivering school guidance curriculums. She has consistently shown to be well organized, prepared and meets all requirements and deadlines. And lastly, Ms. Getchell is a highly energetic, motivated and dedicated individual, all essential qualities for work as a professional school counselor.

I feel that Ms. Getchell is a good candidate for a school guidance position and hope that you will give her every consideration. Please feel free to contact me should you desire additional information in support of her application.

Sincerely,

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