

To whom it may concern,

In college I had the opportunity to do a week-long education service trip at a [REDACTED] charter school. While playing teacher for a week, I not only learned how charter schools functioned but also the value of a charter school—especially for diverse groups of kids with non-traditional learning styles. What excites me most is integrating my college liberal arts experience into the classroom: **lecturing and mentoring** small groups of students **with** the flexibility of an innovative, experimental classroom. Below I've outlined my **relevant** skills and experience in education. I **would be** beyond excited to continue **my work in education** as an associate teacher for the 2018-2019 school year.

**Tutoring Experience.** In college, I **worked as** a student academic advisor, **responsible** for 20 first-year students. Specifically, I provided extra support for **these** students in math, English and Japanese. **Using the** learning test VARK, I helped students determine their learning style **so that they could** develop study skills depending on that style.

**Individualized Learning Support.** **In the fall** of 2016, I worked with a 5<sup>th</sup> grade student who has a learning disability. **She struggled with** homework; therefore, my goal as her tutor was **to address the** concepts she struggled with **in** new and different ways. **Since** she had difficulty concentrating in class and at home, I worked with her on balancing homework requirements.

**Commitment to Learning.** In college, I **interned** with a local arts non-profit. **Since the** [REDACTED] public schools **provide meager arts education**, I started a club that provided free arts education for low-income classrooms. In this club, I developed and taught lesson plans in art, music and theater. **The kids** ranged in age from Kindergarten-5th grade, **so** lesson plans had to have a strong learning objective and be adaptable.

Thank you for considering my application for the Associate Teacher position at [REDACTED]. I look forward to hearing from you soon!

Sincerely,  
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