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To Whom It May Concern:

It is with great pleasure that I write this letter of recommendation on behalf of Benjamin Maerkle. I have been working with Benjamin in his position as Technology Lead for the past year. In his role, Benjamin has worked with me on creating a technology structure in our school that includes processes and protocols for utilizing technology and reporting technological issues. Benjamin expanded his role to work with students and teachers on how to effectively use technology in lesson design.

Benjamin has extensive knowledge regarding technology and programming. He is very intelligent and uses his wisdom to help others in many ways. His ability to streamline processes to make an organization more efficient is impressive. He understands how to analyze an issue and has amazing problem-solving skills. Benjamin is a person who always takes initiative in completing tasks. He requires very little direction and the outcome of his projects surpass expectations. Benjamin is well respected by the staff and students at Ross Woodward. He collaborates well with all stakeholders and is an effective communicator. Benjamin takes his job seriously and is extremely dependable. He is the type of person to go above and beyond regardless of the task. His dedication to our school and children is apparent each and every day.

For these reasons, I am confident that Benjamin Maerkle will be a superior addition to your program. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Michele Bonanno,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Michele Bonanno'.

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