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To Whom It May Concern:

It is my pleasure to support Ms. Mackenzie Lear's scholarship application. Within the school year that I have known her, I have found her to be an asset and a pleasure to teach in my classroom.

Mackenzie is currently a student in my Advanced Placement English Literature and Composition class at Ligonier Valley High School. In my class, I see her as a hardworking, dedicated student who wants to succeed and do it with honor and integrity. My class requires a lot of time management as well as critical thinking and analysis skills, and Mackenzie is a prime example of someone who excels at those things, while also balancing classes like Calculus and Anatomy.

Not only is Mackenzie a strong student academically, but she is also highly involved in the school and in the community. She is a member of National Honor Society and Spanish Honor Society, both of which speak to her character as a person. Additionally, she is the Future Business Leaders of America Parliamentarian and the Students Against Dangerous Decisions Vice President. Although she is highly involved in all of these activities, she manages to be a member of the All Star Cheer and Dance Team in Ligonier and volunteers as a cheer and dance coach.

Mackenzie's academic skills and impressive character will undoubtedly lead her to many open doors in her future. She has proven to me that she will continue on this same path of success in other areas of her life. Therefore, I am confident she would be an excellent choice for this scholarship.

I strongly support Mackenzie's application with no reservations. Should you have any questions, please contact me via email at acrossland@lvsd.k12.pa.us.

Sincerely,

Ashley E. Crossland
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