

Serra Catholic High School

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To Whom It May Concern:

It is with great pleasure that I write to you on behalf of Morgan Boyd to support her application for the Outstanding Young Citizen Scholarship. I have gotten to know Morgan over the past two school years as her mathematics teacher. I am currently Morgan's statistics teacher and taught her college pre-calculus and honors trigonometry last school year. During this time, I have come to know Morgan as a young woman with great intelligence and excellent character.

Morgan is an excellent student and a true pleasure to have in class. She is hard-working, focused, and consistently one of my top scoring students. Morgan is not afraid to ask questions when she is unsure of something, and constantly discusses the concepts in statistics with her peers resulting in excellent work. Not only does she earn stellar grades in my courses, Morgan has received merit awards and subject medals for a wide variety of courses, proving her success in all academic areas. Morgan is on the Ruby Honor Roll each semester, the highest honor at Serra Catholic, and continually makes the Dean's List. She is also a member of four honor societies, two of which she has a leadership role. To put it simply, Morgan's academic success is impressive.

What sets Morgan apart is her commitment to the Serra Catholic community and her own. Just taking a look at Morgan's résumé, it becomes clear that she is a young woman with great leadership and character. She is the president of the Best Buddies chapter at Serra Catholic as well as a co-founder of the Social Justice club. Being a leader for both of these organizations that focus on serving others proves how passionate Morgan is about helping her community. Morgan is also an active member of the Future Business Leaders of America, TEAMS (a science, engineering and mathematics competition), Science Bowl, yearbook staff, and the prom committee here at Serra Catholic. It is impressive how much Morgan contributes to her school and community while maintaining excellent grades.

I strongly urge you to consider Morgan Boyd as a candidate for the Outstanding Young Citizen Scholarship. Morgan is a hard-working student, an excellent leader, and shows exemplary character each day. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (412) 751-2021 ext. 316, or at dorna@serrahs.org.

Sincerely,

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