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To Whom It May Concern
Re: Maryam Yaseen Khayyat
Date of Birth: 26 October 2005

It is my pleasure to recommend Maryam Khayyat for admission to your academic institute. Maryam is an extremely reflective student who was an indispensable part of my English class. I have known Maryam throughout her grade 11 year as her English Language and Literature teacher. Maryam is an extremely bright, well-balanced, and confident young lady, who has the ability to comment on and critically analyze a text and come up with her own interesting perspective of the topic under discussion.

The English American Diploma Program course is an extremely rigorous course that requires well developed analytical as well as writing skills of which Maryam has proven to be extremely capable. She has demonstrated well rounded presentation skills and collaborates well with others. She has shown her ability to lead a team during group work as she quickly organizes the team to ensure that the group progresses smoothly and efficiently under her leadership. Maryam also works well independently and is able to present her opinions in a persuasive manner. Maryam has particularly enjoyed learning about the historical contexts and backgrounds of the literary works and authors studied in order to develop a deeper understanding of the global issues in the text.

Maryam intends to pursue her studies in human resources, as she excels as a communicator. She was introduced to this career by her sister who works as a human resource practitioner. Maryam enjoys working out at the gym and believes in keeping fit and healthy. Maryam strongly believes in giving back to her community and during the month of Ramadan created a community service group preparing meals for indigent members of the community. This was her own initiative and she took a leadership role directing the other team members during this service. She also enjoys swimming and she volunteered during an event called "Aytamona" which involved entertaining people with her art.

On a personal level, Maryam is an inquiring, thoughtful and open-minded student who has maintained an excellent rapport with peers and staff. She exudes a confidence which will ensure that she adjusts well to tertiary education and contributes to any program or institution she is applying for.

Yours Sincerely



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DP English Teacher and DP Subject Leader