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To Whom It May Concern:

I am pleased to write to you on behalf of Emily Mills.

Camp Kodiak is a residential summer camp serving children and teens with learning disabilities, ADHD, and high-functioning Autism Spectrum Disorder (formerly diagnosed as Asperger Syndrome). Our program includes academic tutoring, a social skills program and an adapted physical education program consisting of a large variety of land and water sports. We also provide instruction in many other areas including drama and music. Our counsellors include professionals from the fields of education, social work, psychology, child and youth work and recreation. We also employ university and college students.

Emily worked as a counsellor at Camp Kodiak for the summer of 2018. Along with two other staff members, she lived and worked with a group of teenage girls. Her responsibilities included ensuring the physical and emotional well-being of her campers, motivating and encouraging them to participate in the many camp activities and teaching life skills and social skills. In all areas, Emily proved herself to be a motivated and reliable team player.

Emily also instructed a variety of activities including canoeing, kayaking and drama. Her lessons were well-planned and executed and were always structured to meet the diverse needs of the campers with whom she was working, while always ensuring the safety of all participants. She was able to encourage and motivate campers to take on new challenges. They responded very positively to her and looked forward to their time with Emily.

Throughout the summer Emily demonstrated dedication to her job and commitment to her campers. In spite of her very busy schedule, she could always be counted on to volunteer when something had to be done or to spend extra time with a youngster who needed her.

Emily Mills will be a valuable asset to the Bachelor of Education program. In summary, it is without reservation that I recommend her to you.

Sincerely,

Alex Seitz

Office Administrator
Camp Kodiak