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To Whom it May Concern

Letter of Recommendation for Rio Sherlonge Small

안녕하세요.

저는 Rio 선생님과 2021년 ~ 2022년 동안 원곡초등학교에서 함께 근무하며 Rio 선생님의 매니저 및 Co-teacher로 근무했던 교사 윤승환입니다.

Rio 선생님은 원곡초등학교 아이들이 정말 좋아하는 원어민교사입니다.

정말 열심히 아이들을 위해 한글을 공부하고, 재미있는 수업을 위해 교재 연구하는 열정을 보여주는 선생님입니다. 기존에 경험했던 원어민교사와 달리 아이들을 우선 생각하여 아이들의 눈높이에서 재미있는 수업이 무엇인지 고민하고 생각하는 모습을 보여주셨습니다.

Rio 선생님은 아이들이 조금이라도 영어 실력을 향상시킬 수 있도록 본인이 더 한국어를 공부해서 아이들이 영어 한마디라도 더 할 수 있게 노력하고, 아이들이 좋아하는 신체 놀이와 게임을 수업 시간에 적극 활용하는 모습은 정말 열정이 있지 않으면 할 수 없는, 다른 원어민 교사에게서는 볼 수 없는 훌륭한 모습들이었습니다.

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Rio 선생님은 원곡초등학교 학생들, 교직원들 모두가 정말 좋아하는 원어민교사입니다.

학생들을 위해 꾸준히 한글을 공부하고, 더욱 재미있는 수업을 위해 교재 연구를 지속하는 모습이 매우 인상 깊었습니다. 특히, 아이들의 눈높이에 맞춰 어떤 방식으로 영어 수업을 더 흥미롭고 효과적으로 만들 수 있을지 고민하는 열정적인 태도가 돋보였습니다.

Rio 선생님은 학생들의 영어 실력 향상을 위해 스스로 한국어 실력을 높이려는 노력을 아끼지 않았고, 수업에 신체 활동이나 게임을 적극적으로 활용하며 아이들에게 즐거운 학습 경험을 제공했습니다. 이러한 모습은 단순한 열정을 넘어, 학생들을 진심으로 생각하는 훌륭한 교사라는 것을 보여줍니다. 다양한 교육적 요구를 가진 학생들이 많은 교실에서도 학생의 특성을 이해하고 이에 맞추어 피드백을 하며 수업을 진행해왔습니다.

Rio 선생님은 학생들에게 훌륭한 영향을 주는 교사일 뿐만 아니라, 앞으로도 어떤 환경에서든 그 능력을 발휘하실 분이라고 자신 있게 추천드립니다.

문예솔

Manager & Co-Teacher

June 4, 2020

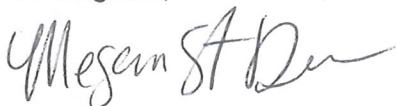
To Whom It May Concern,

I highly recommend Rio Small for the role of English Teacher in the EPIK program. As the former Laboratory Manager at B. A. Hydro Solutions Ltd., I had the pleasure of working with Rio for 3 years while she was a laboratory technician. In this capacity, Rio demonstrated an innate ability to learn quickly and manage her time effectively. She is a driven, organized person who develops inspiring relationships with her colleagues.

Rio has always had a passion for Korean culture and language since I have known her. Before her first trip to Seoul, she was completely dedicated to learning the language, utilising every free moment of time furthering her studies and routinely practicing with her instructor. I witnessed first-hand the speed with which she was able to learn and retain so much information in a short period of time. I believe her proficiency in English, along with her ability to speak and read Korean, only add to her favourability as a candidate. She continues to demonstrate this drive and embraces any opportunity for professional development.

Rio's dedication and ability to learn quickly in order to teach others are exceptional qualities. She also has excellent written and verbal communication skills. This is why, on my departure from B. A. Hydro Solutions Ltd., I recommended she be promoted to Laboratory Manager. After her promotion, she mentored and instructed a new laboratory technician with ease, proving she is an ideal candidate for a teaching position. Even better, she accomplishes all these tasks with great initiative and a positive attitude. Her natural ability to teach, combined with her proficiency in the English language and knowledge of the Korean language and culture, are why I recommend Rio to you for the role of English Teacher in the EPIK program without reservation.

Kind Regards,



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Re. Reference for Rio Small

3 July 2020

Whom it may concern

I have known Rio since September 2010, when she started her undergraduate degree, BSc (Hons) Ecology and Conservation, at Anglia Ruskin University. My relationship with her is as one of her lecturers during her degree from 2010 to 2013.

Although it is some years since Rio left ARU, I had no trouble in recalling her time at the university. It can sometimes be difficult to remember some students but this was not the case with her, and my recollection of her is entirely positive. My first opportunity to get to know her was on our field trip to the Scottish island of Rum, in October 2010. Such trips give students and staff a chance to spend more time together and to get to know each other a bit. My reflections on Rio is that she is a friendly, thoughtful and kind person, who carries herself in a quiet manner.

Rio's approach to her studies was conscientious and she is well organised and hard working. She did well at ARU, gaining a good set of marks and earning a well deserved 2-1 final grade. Her final year project was a laboratory based ecological genetics study, which required a high degree of organisation and technical skill. It also held with it the responsibility of having to deal with and analyse well someone else's samples. Her grade of 66% in this work, clearly demonstrated she had the aptitude and reliability required for the work. I believe that her subsequent employment after leaving ARU has demonstrated this further, and very much confirming our positive assessment of her abilities and attitude.

It is with great interest that I learned about Rio's desire to work with EPIK to teach English in Korea. I very much support her application and I am sure that this will be a great opportunity for her. I am sure that Rio will be able to use the experience she has gained over the last few years in coaching people in a laboratory setting, as well as her more recent study of TEFL, to be an effective communicator. I think her quiet self-reliance and respectful nature will stand her in good stead for teaching English at a school in Korea. She is well organised and prepares effectively for the tasks she takes on. This will be important in the work she will need to do in developing teaching materials and preparing classes. Her friendly and thoughtful nature will be a real asset in relating to students and teachers, as well as to those she meets outside the classroom, as she settles into Korean society.

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I am very pleased to be able to recommend Rio to you and I am sure that she will do an excellent job as an EPIK teacher, if you give this opportunity.



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