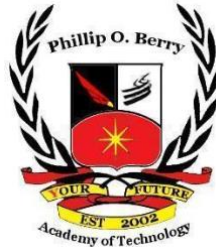


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To Whom It May Concern:

I am pleased to be writing this letter of recommendation on behalf of Addison Anderson, a most promising student and exceptional individual. I've had the pleasure of witnessing Addison's remarkable academic growth, leadership, and service throughout her time at Phillip O. Berry Academy of Technology. If it were appropriate for educators to choose favorites, Addison would undoubtedly be among my top selections. Her blend of drive, humility, and excellence is truly inspiring.

During her time at Phillip O. Berry, Addison has distinguished herself as a high-achieving scholar, athlete, and community leader. She currently holds a weighted GPA of 4.4167 and an unweighted GPA of 3.8750, ranking **9th out of 311 students**, a feat that earned her the esteemed Junior Marshal distinction. She thrives in a demanding STEM environment and has challenged herself with an impressive load of Advanced Placement and Honors coursework, including AP Psychology, AP Calculus AB, and Honors Medical Intervention, just to name a few.

What I admire most about Addison is her unwavering commitment to growth and community. She has completed over 100 hours of service, with initiatives ranging from hurricane relief efforts to mentoring children on the autism spectrum. Addison's involvement in organizations like HOSA, the National Honor Society, and the Road to

Hire Program, as well as her selection to the NYLF Medicine & Health Care Program at UC Berkeley, all speak to her relentless pursuit of both personal and academic excellence.

She is also a standout athlete committed to Tennis, Swimming, Softball, and previously a Majorette yet she has consistently maintained the highest GPA on every team she's joined. It's rare to encounter a student who seamlessly balances academics, athletics, and service, but Addison does so with grace and determination.

As an educator, students like Addison reassures me that the future is in good hands. She is a natural leader intelligent, compassionate, disciplined, and purpose-driven. Any institution would be fortunate to have her as part of their community. She welcomes feedback with maturity, leads by example, and genuinely strives to uplift those around her.

Finally, in closing, I would be glad to answer any further questions you may have regarding Addison Anderson or Phillip O. Berry Academy of Technology.

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