To Whom It May Concern:

I had the privilege of mentoring Tammy Penton over a decade ago, when she transitioned from the corporate world to pursue her passion for teaching. From the outset, Mrs. Penton's dedication to her craft was unmistakable. Even as a substitute teacher, she displayed an unwavering commitment to learning. She would often spend her breaks observing and absorbing teaching techniques in my classroom.

Upon assuming a permanent position in fifth grade, where I was a teacher and grade chairperson, Mrs. Penton continued her quest for knowledge. She frequently sought opportunities to observe and learn from her colleagues, including myself. Her dedication was evident as she willingly sacrificed her break times and lunch hours to refine her teaching skills.

Mrs. Penton's positive demeanor and open-mindedness fostered strong relationships with both her peers and students. She readily embraced feedback and continuously sought ways to improve. Her genuine rapport with children was remarkable, as evidenced by her presence of students voluntarily spending their lunch hours in her classroom.

In summary, Mrs. Penton embodies the qualities of an exceptional educator. Her intelligence, diligence, patience, kindness and enthusiasm for both learning and teaching set her apart. It is without hesitation that I wholeheartedly recommend Mrs. Tammy Penton, a true asset to any educational institution.

Mrs. Leonette Taylor Brown

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