

Application Related Information

Application: Application Incomplete
Grad Program Applying To: MIT

Iteration Name: 202540_GR_G
Program Name: MIT

Recommendation Information

Recommended By: courtney crawford
Recommenders Institution: north thurston public schools

Recommenders Title: principal
Contact Name: Samantha Holmes

Waive Access to Recommendation Ltrs: I do not waive my right to review this recommendation.

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Recommendation Form Submitted: ✗

Recommendation Status: Received

Received Date: 02/26/2025 11:04 AM

Recommender Assessment:

Recommendation Type: General

Recommender Form: Letter of Recommendation

Recommendation Entity ID: 1024000120927060

Recommendation Owner: Josephine Bernier

Recommender Form Questions

How long have you known applicant:

Applicant ability as self-directed learner:

Time since last contact with applicant:

Applicant as productive member of group:

Relationship with Applicant:

Applicant most significant strengths:

Ability to complete rigorous grad program:

Responsibility/reliability:

Communication Skills - Oral:

Communication skills - written:

Service Orientation-sensitivity/empathy:

Ability to work independently:

Ability to handle stress:

Ability to think critically:

Ability to analyze/problem solve:

Ability to think creatively:

Openness to feedback:

Potential for leadership:

Ability to work in a team:

Personal/professional reflection:

Description Information

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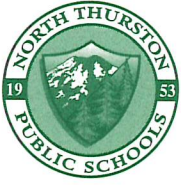
Other Information

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Courtney Crawford, *Principal*
David Eacker, *Assistant Principal*

NORTH THURSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

NISQUALLY MIDDLE SCHOOL

January 10, 2025

To Whom It May Concern,

I am honored to write this letter of recommendation for Samantha Holmes, who has served as a dedicated paraeducator at Nisqually Middle School for the past 1.5 years. In her time here, she has worked both as a one-on-one paraeducator and as a resource para, demonstrating an unwavering commitment to supporting students and ensuring their success.

Samantha consistently advocates for her students, approaching her work with determination and a clear passion for helping young learners thrive. She provides push-in support across various content classes, working closely with her cooperating teacher to adapt instruction and foster student engagement. Her attention to detail is evident in the way she collects and records data for IEP progress monitoring, ensuring that students' growth and needs are accurately documented. Additionally, she assists in correcting and entering student work, contributing to meaningful progress tracking and individualized support.

Beyond the classroom, Samantha extends her dedication to students through extracurricular involvement, having coached our 6th-grade track team. Her ability to connect with students, encourage them, and foster a positive team environment speaks to her ability to build strong, trusting relationships.

Samantha is an invaluable asset to any educational team. She is professional, compassionate, and deeply invested in student success. I highly recommend her without reservation and am confident she will continue to make a positive impact wherever she goes.

Please feel free to contact me if you need any further information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Courtney Crawford", with a long, sweeping horizontal line extending to the right.

Courtney Crawford
Principal
Nisqually Middle School