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Ms. Maureen Cook
Hunter Mill Montessori School
2709 Hunter Mill Road, Oakton, VA

Dear Ms. Cook:

Through the completion of my degree and the various experiences I had throughout the process I am the ideal person for this position. Your school encourages individualism for every student by following the Montessori method. As mentioned on your website your school assists the child in developing more fully and I will work to see that each student's sparks are being fulfilled. My enthusiasm for educating young children will push me to be a great teacher for the students and everyone within Hunter Mill Montessori. I am excited to watch each student create their own path and find their spark.

I have attended many service opportunities at Longwood University and numerous alongside Epsilon Eta, an honors fraternity with a focus on environmental service. Our members focus on local service projects to better the community and environment around us. These service opportunities such as building a retaining wall at twin lakes or volunteering at bright-eyes alpaca retreat has taught me communication skills amongst my peers and the best ways to work in a team. Being able to spend extra time in nature has taught me the importance of being surrounded by the environment and exploring it as much as possible. I thought it was great that your school has 20 acres secluded in the woods for the students to explore their creativity within. Children have a natural urge to care for the environment around them and through the Montessori curriculum we can explore their personal interests in the natural world through nature while fostering caring individuals along the way.

I am well prepared for the role I would take on as lead teacher as I have previously worked in this school, allowing me to better understand how Hunter Mill works as a system. Through your guidance I am extremely fit for this position and can easily slide into this role with a broad understanding of the previous teaching styles. Thank you for reviewing my application and considering me for this position.

Best regards,

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