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To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to recommend Eric Rosenthal for the position of English language teacher.

As one of Eric's teacher trainers on her University of Cambridge CELTA (Certificate of English Language Teaching to Adults) course, I observed him in a variety of situations - as a teacher, as a student, as a participant in peer feedback groups and as a colleague to his teaching peers. In all of the above situations, Eric consistently displayed a high degree of professionalism, preparedness, and enthusiasm to help others.

For each of his lessons, Eric was extremely well-prepared and independent in his planning. He also demonstrated strong classroom management skills and good rapport with his students while being able to focus on the meaning, form and pronunciation of discrete language items in a way that is communicative and student-centered.

In the staff room, Eric will be an asset to any school he works for because he is helpful and will be encouraging to his colleagues, and also because he is very good at taking on feedback about his teaching and implementing suggested changes.

Eric is a solid CELTA graduate. He has shown herself to be very self-aware as well as very sensitive to the needs of his students which, coupled with the classroom skills he developed on the CELTA course, is what makes him such a good teacher.

Sincerely,

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