

February 17, 2017

To Whom It May Concern,

I would like to recommend Mr. Dave Rehnberg for the administrative position at your institution. Mr. Rehnberg has vast experience in Christian Education both as an administrator and classroom teacher. Mr. Rehnberg serves our Lord with skill, passion and integrity. He is an exceptional leader at our school and in the community.

I have had the privilege of working for Mr. Rehnberg for the past three years as a faculty member of Coastal Christian School (CCS). During this time, he led our school in the construction and occupation of our new 27-acre campus. Our school had been attempting to occupy our property for nearly forty years and had been faced with many obstacles. It was not until Mr. Rehnberg's outstanding leadership provided the knowledge and energy necessary that this great goal was accomplished.

He cast the vision and implemented new standards for technology at CCS. He has provided extensive and important teacher training in 21st Century Learning techniques and thought. In addition, he has expanded our scope of influence by establishing collaborative relationships with other schools throughout the world. Mr. Rehnberg has guided CCS through the successful and arduous process of dual accreditation with WASC and ACSI.

Mr. Rehnberg established, early on in his administration at CCS, an atmosphere of support and encouragement for the faculty and staff. He maintains an open-door policy that encourages relationships, teamwork and creative discourse. I have personally benefited greatly under his leadership and tutelage. He has expanded our understanding of education as a global endeavor utilizing all resources to prepare our students to serve the Lord.

Mr. Rehnberg has elevated CCS's reputation in our local community. During a recent, extensive storm, our campus suffered a catastrophic mud slide that affected the neighboring community. His quick responses and coordination with emergency services and city officials earned CCS an outstanding reputation as an integral part of the Five Cities Area. He is a member of a local assembly of pastors that regularly meet to pray for each other and the community. He is held in high esteem for his leadership ability but more importantly as a man of God.

It is with great reluctance that I need to draft a letter such as this as I will no longer have the honor of working for a Head of School in which I have the utmost respect and admiration. I have been in Christian education for over 15 years and I count it a blessing to have been able to work with such a man as Mr. Rehnberg.

Sincerely In His Service,

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