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Principal Wheatman Cedar Heights Senior High 123 Washington Way Pleasantplace, IA XXXXX

Dear Principal Wheatman,

I am writing to express my interest in the open history teaching position at Cedar Heights Senior High. I am seeking to establish my career in the field of social studies where I can create a learning environment that gets student excited about history through hands on activities, while teaching material in a way that demonstrates history's current importance in students' lives. I have been extremely impressed by your high school's curriculum, which encourages students to take up to three advanced level history classes. It was this statement that first interested me in applying for the available position at Cedar Heights, but it was the strong recommendations of parents and former faculty who have solidified my decision to apply.

During my time student teaching I have taught 7th through 12th grade students, teaching on subject such as American government, and the Great Depression. Students have expressed appreciation in my interactive activities such as a mock portrayal of the infamous Salem witch trials. I would like to continue enhancing young adults' lives, and developing lesson plans such as these at Cedar Heights Senior High. The opportunity to face the challenge of keeping history exciting, yet informative motivates me when working with young adults.

I would be delighted to meet with you personally to discuss how my talents would benefit your high school. If you are interested in an individual is hard working, is patient when working with young adults, and has an energetic presence when teaching history, please consider my candidacy. I will follow up on the status of my application via phone after May 14th.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely, (sign name)

Lillian Sampson

Re: Resume, Reference List, and Transcript