

To whom it may concern,

It is my pleasure to strongly recommend Teresa Cowan for the Edmonton Catholic School District Substitute Roster.

I have known Teresa since 1993, when we acquired our Education Degrees from the University of Alberta. Teresa and I completed our advanced field practicums at the same school, and I was taken by Teresa's interaction with her students and ability to connect with them.

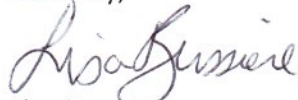
Over the years I have been impressed by Teresa's dedication and commitment to all that she undertakes. Teresa has dedicated many hours to volunteering with students who require additional support. It is apparent that Teresa is very interested in working alongside children in their educational journey.

When Teresa mentioned last year that she would be pursuing further education in order to reinstate her teaching certificate I was delighted, as I know Teresa's patient and enthusiastic nature, as well as her keen interest in learning, will make her an exceptional teacher. I am not surprised to learn that Teresa achieved top marks in her recent university courses, as I know she continually works to achieve a high level of excellence.

I am absolutely confident that Teresa would be a great fit for the ECSD school district. Not only will she bring the kind of skills and experiences you are looking for in an applicant, but she will also quickly become an asset and help both schools and students grow in any way she can.

If you need more information or specific examples, please do not hesitate to contact me at Lisa.Bussiere@ecsd.net or 780 951-4375.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Lisa Bussiere', written in dark ink.

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