To whom it may concern,

A year ago I was a freshman at the College of Charleston and not only did I have a very rigorous course load, but was simultaneously trying to adjust to life far away from home. I had taken calculus in high school and had done very well, but once I started taking it in college I realized that I was going to need some help. I sought out tutors at College of Charleston but did not find anyone who I really clicked with, or who was able to help me better understand the material. My mom found Courtney and Lowcountry Academics through a post on the CofC Facebook page, where Courtney was highly recommended by other parents, so I immediately made an appointment with her. Very soon after our first session I saw a drastic rise in my Calculus grade and a significantly better understanding of the material. Not only did Courtney help me better understand the material, but she became a reliable support who I could always count on when I needed help with a problem or a concept. She demonstrated that she cared about me as a person and a student and would always ask about how my week was going if I had trouble in any other classes and if I needed help with anything else. She was always extremely supportive and encouraging.

After my first semester of college, I realized that I was going to be taking Statistics over the summer and would continue to benefit from Courtney's guidance. Courtney was extremely flexible with her hours, super helpful, and met with me multiple times a week so I could understand that coursework that I was struggling with. Courtney was responsive to my requests, made herself as available as she could and was extremely patient and supportive. She showed me several ways to approach a problem and increase my understanding and not only improve my math skills, but also to build my confidence and know that I had the ability to do the problems and to do well in that specific class. I am still working with Courtney now in my psychological statistics class and plan on continuing to work with her next semester when I take advanced psychological statistics. She not only improved my understanding of the material but also contributed to me raising my grade significantly as well as helped me adjust to school and allowed me to feel more confident in my schoolwork and myself. Starting college is a big adjustment, and with Courtneys assistance I felt supported and more confident in my ability to succeed in a course that was challenging for me. I highly recommend her to anyone who is looking for a tutor who is helpful, caring, patient, knowledgeable and supportive.

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