



# RIVER FALLS HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Selection Committee,

As an administrator I am reluctant to write this letter of recommendation for Chad Forde, however I believe he would serve as an outstanding leader and contributing team member for your organization. To put it more bluntly Chad is a passionate educator we would be saddened to lose, but you should quite frankly hire him immediately. As his building principal, I only want what is best for Chad and his growing family moving forward and we are sincerely blessed with the time that we have had with him. Chad is currently employed in our high school as a social studies instructor and also served as an administrative intern in recent years. In knowing Chad for nearly five years, I hope to highlight the outstanding qualities and traits Chad possesses as both an educator and individual.

Since his arrival at River Falls High School, Chad has shown a tremendous amount of drive and servant leadership. Chad is one of our staff members who daily is the first to arrive and one of the last to leave. He has served in many leadership capacities and is currently serving as a member of various committees, head tennis coach, and responsible for our Veterans Wall of Honor. Chad leads by doing and sets the example of what it means to have high expectations and live up to them. During his years at RFHS, he transformed his courses into comprehensive, relevant and rigorous culture for learning that allows students to practice and work within the content instead of reciting and recall. He also gives of his time and leadership by mentoring new student teachers most of whom receive positions shortly thereafter.

Chad is also an educator who pays attention to detail, displays sound judgment, and communicates well with his staff, students and parents. He also values collaboration, effective change, and is a positive risk-taker. Chad is the type of person that has strong interpersonal skills with adults and most importantly adolescents. I hold Chad Forde in the highest regard both personally and professionally.

I give my highest recommendation to your committee to consider Chad for employment. Again this district would be very saddened to lose Chad as an educator knowing the immediate and long term positive impacts he is able to make. I also know that Chad would have a significant impact in your program and school if he were granted this position. I have no doubt that with the skills and talents that Mr. Forde possesses that he will be a successful teacher leader and team member. Please do not hesitate to contact me if additional information is needed regarding the skills and talents of Chad Forde.

Sincerely,

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