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Dear Mrs. Lindsay Johnson,

I am applying for the Junior High ELA teacher position. My sister, Alivia Gundlach, told me about the position. Alivia is currently the music teacher at St. Mary's. I started my college career as an English Education teacher, and I loved every minute of it. I have managed classrooms full of students. I have kept my work schedule organized, and it has helped me in leading a team at my local coffee shop. I am very interested in teaching the students how to become more successful, so they are ready for their high school journey.

During my time in the Education program, I worked with an after school program at a local elementary school in Green Bay. This program was run by the YMCA, and it was to help underprivileged children have an environment to nurture their creativity and knowledge. During my first semester there, I was an aid for the supervisor, but I loved it so much that I decided to apply for a job there. In my time at the program, I was able to foster relationships with the students that helped me become a better teacher for them. They felt like they could trust me. One example was when I first started, and I had to first lead a group of students. They weren't listening to me at first, but when I started to make the learning engaging by playing some games with them, they were much more eager to learn and work. While games might not help everyone learn, it taught me that learning student's learning techniques can help me lead them in the right direction.

While it might not have been a teaching position, I was also a volunteer for my church's ski team. My goal was to lead middle-high school students in their journey with the Lord. Doing that helped me foster my own relationship with God, and helped me to grow as an individual. Before my time volunteering, I was a part of the ski team and the cell groups that met on Wednesday nights. I started going when I was in second grade and continued to go until I graduated high school. As I went up through the grades, I was able to learn from my leaders how to grow and foster a relationship with God. One example of this was when I was at bible camp with my ski team. My dad had led one girl to the Lord, and she came to talk to me about it also. I was able to strengthen her decision on her way to the Lord. It was an amazing experience, and it taught me that even a little thing can lead to a big growing moment in someone's life.

All of this was to show you that I am very interested in being a part of your school by becoming the Junior High English Language Arts teacher. Thank you so much for your time and consideration, and I am looking forward to hearing from you soon. The best way to contact me would be with my email, [k.leigh.c.g.22@gmail.com](mailto:k.leigh.c.g.22@gmail.com) and my phone number, 608-385-0838.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Klaraleigh Sanders-Mikkelsen". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

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