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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter in support of the Remembering Adam Volunteer Drug Screening Program. This program has done very well in our school since we first became a part of it in the fall of 2009. Students are chosen randomly once a week to submit a sample for drug screening. There has never been an issue. In fact, it's just the opposite. Most students are very excited that they were chosen because they can then get a t-shirt saying they passed their drug test. I think this program has really accentuated the positive concerning drug use by students. It also gives them a sense of accomplishment. All we usually hear about is the students who are using drugs on a regular basis. The really nice component about this drug screening program is that it actually spotlights the students who are not using drugs or others who are trying to live a drug free life. In closing, I am hopeful that the Remembering Adam will be around in the future for my students to participate in. It has really gotten the attention of my students who feel energized from being part of a winning program.

Sincerely,

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