

Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan
October 2020

Dear Admissions Committee,

I have known Myktybek Sattarov for about three years now, as both his teacher and acquaintance at the Bishkek Chyngyz Aitmatov High School in Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan.

Myktybek undoubtedly meets any academic requirements you may have in terms of marks and language proficiency. But beyond this he also possesses key attributes needed to thrive in his academic career, and has repeatedly demonstrated these through out our acquaintance with each other.

One of these many qualities which I admire about Myktybek is his sense of responsibility. Where many of his peers would shirk any duty given them if they had the opportunity, Myktybek never fails to stand tall and do what he needs to do – never missing work, always coming on time, forewarning teachers in case of absence or trouble. This leads him to also be very accepting of his faults, and able to look at his mistakes with an objective eye rather than simply refusing any negative comment or feedback.

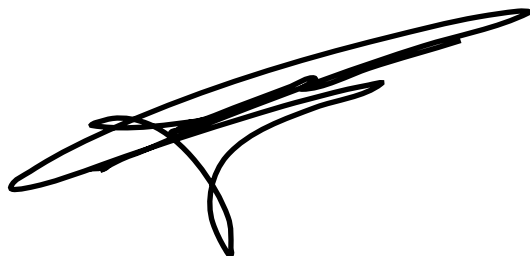
Beyond this, Myktybek also demonstrates great maturity. Of course, he likes to enjoy himself and joke and laugh as any young man, but he also understands that there is a time and place for everything, and doesn't act inappropriately for any given situation. Though this has lead him to lose patience with his peers at times, when they act childishly, this also means that he has the beginnings of the qualities required for leadership.

Were you to have any supplementary questions regarding Myktybek's suitability, you may reach me either through my private or professional e-mail address, as well as by phone after 20.00 (GMT+5).

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Best regards,

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