

January 19, 2024

To whom it may concern,

Dr. Breece is an exceptional educational administrator for many reasons, but I would like to focus on one skill set: her ability to identify and hire creative and effective personnel.

I was employed fulltime at Telesis Center of Learning, Lake Havasu City, AZ as the Creative Writing teacher, working with 5th and 6th grade students. (My position was in addition to the ELA teacher.) One has to look far and wide to find another school that even offers such an opportunity to students, yet she chose to include it in the program.

We had met by chance while I was doing a public book signing. Later she contacted me to discuss my background and availability. I have, in fact, worked in classrooms for years as a Teaching Artist doing workshops in creative writing, however, I have no formal certification. In spite of this “shortcoming” she extended to me the opportunity to work there.

While I was the exception – a teacher without certification – I quickly realized that I was surrounded by teachers who were both experienced and certified. And what we all had in common was an enthusiasm and commitment to educate effectively in a learning atmosphere, an attitude that Dr. Breece emulates on a daily basis.

I heartily endorse Dr. Breece as an educational consultant.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tom Paul Fox." The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style with a horizontal line above the first few letters.

Tom Paul Fox, author & Teaching Artist