

## Sample Personal Reference Letter

May 15, 20--

To Whom It May Concern:

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I believe that Justin's excellent character and his desire to succeed in his chosen career will make him an excellent employee.

Sincerely,

Norman Mazer  
Coordinator  
United Youth Volunteers