

I truly feel honored to be writing this recommendation for Konstantinos Timinis, a pupil of PASCAL English School. I have known Konstantinos for 3 years but I got to know him better during the current academic years 2021-2022 that he has been attending my IGCSE ESL course. I think the aspect that has impresses me most about Kostantinos is his drive to succeed and his determination to be the best and always strive for excellence.

PASCAL Education is comprised of two Greek Schools and three English schools throughout the island. PASCAL English School is a six-year private secondary school in Cyprus fully recognised by the Ministry of Education and Culture. It belongs to one of the largest and most reputable educational organisations in Cyprus. Upon graduation, our pupils receive an Apolytirion with a weighted average. This unique method of calculating the PASCAL English School Apolytirion means that the subjects are weighted according to the number of periods taught. This means that the elective and core subjects contribute three times more than the minor subjects to the overall average. At the same time, students in Upper School may opt to prepare and sit for their external examinations, like Konstantinos, or enroll in the IB Diploma Program in their penultimate year. Konstantinos is expected to complete Year 5 in June 2022 with an overall weighted average of approximately 85%, which, considering the above, is an outstanding achievement. His elective subjects are Physics, Maths, IT, Accounting, Greek, all for A level.

Konstantinos is an extremely organized student not only as far as his individual methods of taking notes in class but in the way he thinks and expresses his thoughts in his essays. His academic essays have a clear focus and style whereby his points are clearly written and then supported by relevant arguments and examples. His fluency in English can also be proven by the fact he has scored 83% and 91% in the Rearding/Writing and Listening Checkpoint IGCSE ESL exams this year which justify high expectations for his actual mark in the external exams. I have also been amazed with his involvement in entrepreneurship programmes, like the Junior Achievement, as a CFO and head of the developing department.

As a person, Konstantinos is undoubtedly very friendly and positive. He has a strong sense of responsibility and he is actively participating in the class and school community. He has always been supportive and helpful with his classmates as well as well-mannered and respectful with his teachers. Although at a young age, Konstantinos has set very clear goals for his future and he has never missed any opportunities to achieve his academic and personal objectives. He is mostly an active member of the school community and this is proven by his involvement in non-academic and extracurricular activities since his first year at PASCAL. Through his actions he shows excellent communication skills.

In conclusion, I believe that Konstantinos Timinis is a worthy candidate for any working place he chooses as he is determined to do his utmost in order to succeed in his new endeavours. He will be an asset to your company and will be devoted to both his duties and the wider community.

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