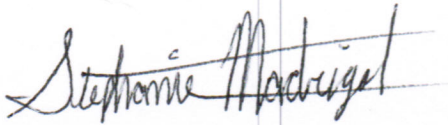


To whom it may concern,

My name is Stephanie Madrigal and I am a student at Riverside jr/sr High School. I am writing to plead my case in regards to my early graduation. It has occurred to me that by the end of the school year I will have all of the credits that I need in order to acquire my Associates of Arts Oregon Transfer degree. When I accomplish that, I won't really have anything to do at school. I feel like it would be no use to stay in school another year because there will be nothing left for me to do. My senior year will consist of easy, fun elective classes. There is nothing wrong with that, but I would rather use that year to get a head start on my college education. If I were to stay another year it would be like being held back. There are so many things that I hope to accomplish, and I feel ready to pursue my dreams and reach my goals. I plan on attending a four-year university, most likely University of Portland, and acquiring my Masters of Business Administration degree. My goal is to one day become a business manager, and it would be very beneficial to me to be able to begin working towards that goal now. Not only do I have more than the necessary high school credits required for graduation, but I also have a 4.0 grade point average. I know that I am ready to graduate, and I hope that you will see that and give me the chance to get an early head start on my college education. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Madrigal

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Stephanie Madrigal". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the printed name.