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To Whom it may concern,

My students and I have had the pleasure of participating in several immersive theatre workshops run by members of Colliding Scopes Theatre. I have found these workshops to be incredibly informative and full of excellent activities. Each workshop has covered the history and theory behind immersive theatre shared with the students through a very well polished powerpoint.

One of the major aspects of these workshops has been the activities. Colliding Scopes has created an inclusive, comprehensive set of activities that eased my students into the world of immersive theatre. I was very impressed with the positive environment established by Colliding Scopes members as they guided my students through the activities. I found all activities very achievable for all my students mainly because the workshop leaders allowed everyone to progress at their own speed and the leaders were very supportive of any and all effort made by my students.

I have invited Colliding Scopes to work with my drama students as well as to provide an Arts and Culture SHSM certificate (under the category of training in a theatrical style). These workshops have ranged in length from 75 minutes (one period for a drama class) to 3 hours for a SHSM certification.

I highly recommend the immersive theatre workshop run by Colliding Scopes Theatre. They present information in a positive, supportive manner and will not disappoint the students. I will have them back again to work with both my drama classes and the Arts and Culture SHSM students.

Sincerely,

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