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Dear Professor Delamare:

Hi my name is Usman Shafi. I am currently a freshman at City College of New York. I am determined to be a successful man in the future with many accomplishments. I was born in Bangladesh, raised in the Bronx during my childhood and grew up in Queens in my teens and still living here. In addition, I graduated from Aviation High School with my FAA approved AMT (Aircraft Maintenance Technician) licences which grants me to be able to fix any U.S. registered aircraft in the country. Now currently in college in my second semester of freshman year I am an undecided major student. I am here to succeed and do good for myself and my family. More so for my hard working parents who have dedicated all their hard work and life so that me and my siblings can do well.

There are many goals I want to achieve as a college student and outside of my student life. To begin with, as a student my first major goal is to increase my gpa to a 3.0 as of right now I have a 2.5 gpa. A 3.0 gpa or higher is an ideal grade as most colleges say to maintain. Ways that I can achieve this is learn from the mistakes I made in my first semester of college and not repeat them. Study more efficiently and take my college education a lot more seriously. To add on, outside of school I would love to be more active and enjoy life as it passes by. In the near future I see myself living a comfortable life. All I aspire to do is have a well paying job, a nice home, a car and a business or two.

As the field of engineering is advancing I believe that most of the cars in the near future will be electric. Cars right now are causing a lot of pollution that is harming the environment as a result of the global warming crisis. Not just cars but factories emitting harmful smoke and much more. Also, everything is becoming more digital and accessible through some type of smart device like our digital phones. In conclusion, this is just a sneak peek to whom I really am and I can speak 2 different languages fluently English and Bengali.