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To Whom It May Concern:

UC Libraries is in strong support of this project to better prepare Ohio high school seniors for their first year in higher education by introducing them to both the class format and the resource content they will face. This project, which includes the dual credit "Step Up to College" class for our dual enrollment students, leverages the extensive research resources available digitally from the University of Cincinnati, InfOhio and OhioLINK. The more students are prepared for the college environment, the higher the probability of student success.

We look forward to this collaborative project with the College of Education, Criminal Justice and Human Services (CECH). We have a strong history of productive partnerships with CECH and know that the faculty from both areas are well prepared to deliver the two courses in the proposal and increase the student success of our Ohio high school seniors.

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