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I, Cheryl Anderson, a retired mathematics and special education teacher at the junior high and senior high levels, have had the distinct pleasure of working with Margaret Kreider on many occasions. She was and continues to be a leader in using technology for education in the classroom.

As a substitute teacher, Margaret worked for two long-term situations for me. The students were struggling with knowing their math facts. She developed a "bop it" type program for the students, using the SMART Notebook program, collected the data, and noted significant improvement. She did this in addition to the lesson plans I had prepared. I was able to use this program that Margaret developed and use it in later years for my students.

Margaret is very knowledgeable and is always looking for new technology to use in the classroom. She shares her discoveries with me and other colleagues in the district. She shared a discovery called KaHoot to use in my special education and inclusion classrooms. My regular education colleague and I used this program in geometry to check student learning before major examinations. We were pleased with the student enthusiasm, and the data we could collect for the Student Learning Objective reports required by our administrators. Kahoot has been used in the history classroom as well as several other classes since then. We would not have known about this excellent program had it not been for the suggestion and instruction on how to use it from Margaret.

Another tool Margaret introduced me to was the "Snipping Tool" program. Margaret knew I was challenged to copy documents for my lessons so she instructed me how to use this tool. I still use that program today for my studies in United States taxation classes.

Margaret continues to be my "go to" person for technology issues. She is very knowledgeable, patient, and able to explain how to succeed in a step-by-step manner. She may not be able to give me an answer immediately, but will research possibilities, and call me back with a couple solutions. Margaret is a go-getter, works until she finds at least one solution, presents them in a way that the recipient can understand, and sees the process through to the end. I have seen her go through this whole process with many of the teachers at the school where I was employed for 25 years. I truly believe that the major portion of my success with technology is due to Margaret, her strength and leadership in the world of technology, and her strength in communicating to each individual based upon his/her level of skill.

It has been a pleasure and honor to work with Margaret. She will be an asset in the world of technology and its evolution.	