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Dear Mr. Jackson,

I am writing this letter to express some of my thoughts on the EASY ESL Learning Series that our organization purchased from you some time ago. We were impressed with your presentation of the materials and decided to obtain quite a large set that includes videos and CD-Roms.

I work in a program that targets migrant families in a very small, rural community. All of these families work in agriculture and have either recently arrived in the area, or travel on a yearly basis outside of this town in search of work. These are hardworking folks who sometimes work from sun-up to sundown and find it very difficult to attend our seat time classes that are offered at the center. The EASY series has been a great tool, thus far, as it is convenient for our students to check them out and work on their English from the comfort of their home and when it is convenient for them. They then come to me for guidance, practice and testing as they progress from unit to unit.

Although I feel that the EASY series has been a wonderful investment, unfortunately I am not yet able to say with certainty what it will provide our students in terms of outcomes. I do not think that I have had it in use long enough to give a valid assessment of its true value regarding a student's progress. However, I can attest to the fact that our students really seem to enjoy it, and on some level feel empowered that they have something like this at their fingertips.

If I can be of any further assistance to you, please feel free to call or e-mail. I would be glad to give you any thoughts I have concerning your product.

Sincerely,

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