

To Whom It May Concern,

Please accept this letter as our personal letter of recommendation for Danielle Pizzolato. We have gotten to know Danielle over the past year. Danielle is our son's instructor and caregiver at Aunt Nancy's Day Care and personal piano instructor. Danielle is an incredible teacher. She has proven to be trustworthy, caring, and committed to the teaching of our son.

Danielle has built a wonderful rapport with our six year old son. She has an ability to connect with our son that is beyond the surface. She takes time to listen to him and guide him in completing activities to the best of his abilities. She is fun and warm-hearted as well. This is clearly evident in the creative activities Danielle guides him in, the hugs she gives when she sees him, and the stories our son tells for days after their many exciting lessons. As a piano instructor her abilities have been outstanding. She has connected with our eight year old son quickly and has made great progress in a short amount of time. Lessons have been made enjoyable and both of our son's desire to see and spend time with her is a testament to her abilities.

Danielle has also demonstrated a strong ability to be a creative, skilled educator. She has taken our son's existing kindergarten curriculum and found ways to create thematic units that go beyond the basics. These creative, thematic units have advanced the skills and concepts focused on in the Lincoln-Way education system. Danielle is a wonderful, intelligent conversationalist, who is able to sit and discuss our child and her ideas for education each time we speak. We have always been very comfortable with her abilities as a caregiver and as an adult who can handle any situation that might arise. She is clearly an invaluable part of Aunt Nancy's Day Care and is a committed and positive role model for our son.

Furthermore, as a teacher myself (Kim), I have no hesitation in saying that Danielle would make a wonderful addition to any teaching staff. She has demonstrated her ability to create wonderful lessons and creative approaches to traditional learning. She looks for fun, engaging activities inviting each student to learn through new and exciting avenues. Her communication skills are impeccable and she is fair and consistent in dealing with her students. We would be honored if given the opportunity in the future to have her teach our sons.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any further questions,

Sincerely,


Ken and Kim Szudy

