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To Whom It May Concern:

It is my pleasure to write this letter of recommendation for Jerry Janes. I have had the opportunity as the other half of the English department to work closely with Jerry throughout the past year. I have had the chance to observe his classes, review his materials and consult with him on an almost daily basis and he is without a doubt one of the finest teachers I have had the opportunity to work with.

Our school had no curriculum in place for 9th thru 11th grade English when we arrived. Jerry has managed to create and implement a comprehensive program complete with web access that completely integrates all state standards while fostering a positive, rigorous, learning environment. He has superb classroom management skills, has demanded and received the best from his students and has achieved both their respect and their trust.

In addition to the English classes that he constructed he also managed to create a Spanish 1 curriculum and to produce both our school play and our school newspaper. Jerry has boundless energy and is devoted to doing his very best for his students whether children or adults. He has an impressive mastery of technology and has shared his knowledge with our staff by offering technology courses through an outside vendor. I, myself, have benefited in innumerable ways from his knowledge and his teaching abilities through these courses.

Anyone who hires Jerry Janes will find they have a wonderful addition to their program who is versatile, knowledgeable, and willing to do his very best in whatever area he is called on whether it be to supervise the school play (which was incredible) teach technology to struggling adults, or teach Spanish, Portuguese, or English. He is exceptionally well organized, an excellent planner with great time management skills and the willingness to work hard that is often difficult to find in today's workers. Please contact me if you have any further questions regarding Mr. Jerry Janes.

Sincerely,



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