



To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to personally recommend Brady Fossenbell. I have had the privilege of working with him for the last four years. Brady is not only dedicated to his students, but has a real gift for advocating for his students. His passion and positive attitude will be greatly missed here.

In addition to his these great qualities, Brady also comes to work with a vast knowledge of teaching strategies and creative resources. There have been countless occasions when I have come to Brady with a problem or a question and we have figured it out together. His ability to think outside the box and find creative ways to problem solves makes him a great teacher and an excellent co-worker.

In addition to being a great teacher, Brady is also an excellent team member and leader. Some of the accomplishments of Brady at this school include:

- Co-created Students with *Limited or Interrupted Formal Education* (SLIFE) **newcomer academy** to help students who have gaps in their education prepare for mainstream classroom.
- Facilitated school transition to **adopt WIDA W-APT and MODEL** for language assessment and placement.
- Produced **bilingual training videos** for SLIFE students and parents detailing school procedures and expectations.
- Created, implemented and managed the award-winning **Reading Buddy** volunteer program which has provided students over **three thousand hours** of extra small group and one-on-one support .
- Created, implemented and managed the **Classroom Aid** program, which pairs classroom teachers with teacher candidates fulfilling practicum hours and supporting classroom management.
- Created school-wide **parent contact protocol** for all students, including when and how to contact parents as well as preferred language. This led to an increase in parent- teacher communication.

In addition to really enjoying working with Brady, I am also proud to call him a friend. His encouraging personality and relentless optimism makes him not only an excellent teacher, but a great friend.

Please do not hesitate to call me with any questions about Brady at [amiller@emailmtcs.org](mailto:amiller@emailmtcs.org).

Sincerely,

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