



John B. Dey Elementary School



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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter today in recommendation of Annie Baugher.

Annie has worked in this school building as a 1st Grade Teacher and currently as a Counseling Intern. She is contentious, hard- working, and always there when you need her. As a teacher, Annie always spent the extra few minutes with her students. She was innovative in her lessons, and always met the individual needs of her students. Often, Annie could be seen multi-tasking in small group to assure that each student was receiving the support they needed to be successful. She always took the extra step to get to know her students in order to build relationships with both the students and their families.

In her position current position as an intern, Annie has again outdone herself. In conjunction with the full-time counselor, Annie has created and implemented lessons, small group counseling sessions, and lunch bunches. Recently, Annie pulled multi- grade level groups together to help launch a tutor.com program for our military affiliated children. When asked to do something, Annie tackles the task with enthusiasm and the commitment to see it through. She effectively communicates with colleagues and families in order to create a comfortable and safe learning/working environment. Her gift to build relationships and make those around her comfortable are key traits that will make her successful in a school counseling position.

It is without hesitation that I recommend Annie for a position as a School Counselor.

Sincerely,

Christa Markert, Assistant Principal



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