

Red Cedar Elementary School

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To Whom It May Concern:

In my role as the Teacher Education Leader (TEL) for the Michigan State University interns at Red Cedar Elementary School, I have had the opportunity to work very closely with Megan Carnaghi this year. Megan cotaught the after-school math program for third graders at Red Cedar with me during the months of October through March, and throughout the year often assisted me in my classroom in the area of technology.

Throughout this year I have continually been impressed with Megan's energy, enthusiasm and commitment to teaching. She is a constant professional and always strives to do her very best. Megan is hard working, organized and reflective about her teaching. She is loved by her students and is greatly respected by the Red Cedar Staff.

Observing Megan in the classroom, one immediately notices that she has the presence of an experienced teacher. She has excellent management techniques, and is sensitive to the needs of the children, while maintaining high expectations for behavior and academic performance. Megan always has the children's best interest in mind and she develops meaningful relationships with each of them.

Megan is strongly committed to the teaching profession and has an impressive desire to gain experience and further her own knowledge. She has attended and fully participated in all of our building staff meetings and district professional development seminars and in March had the opportunity to attended the MACUL technology conference in Grand Rapids. Megan's involvement with the school throughout the year has been exemplary. In fact she is the "go to person" when it comes to technology troubleshooting!

As a twenty-two year teacher veteran, I can say without hesitation that Megan is one of the strongest interns with whom I have had the pleasure of working. The characteristics that make Megan outstanding are many, yet perhaps her greatest attribute is her quest for knowledge and her pursuit of being the finest teacher she can be. She is positive, inspirational and a true team player. It is without hesitation that I highly recommend Megan Carnaghi for any elementary teaching position. I have no doubt that she will quickly become an invaluable staff member and a tremendous asset to any school.

Sincerely,

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