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To Whom It May Concern,

It is with pleasure that I write this letter of recommendation for Jenna Lepkowski. She was an intern in my fourth grade classroom through the Michigan State University Teacher Education program. I met her a year ago and was first impressed with her positive approach for behavior management. Throughout the year I continued to be impressed by her desire to learn, reflect, and improve.

Jenna was a hardworking, dedicated teacher who was always prepared. She used many resources, including the Internet and Promethean Board, to make sure she had interactive lessons. She incorporated group work and put the extra effort into her plans to encourage participation from all level of learners. She was always cognizant of time frames since we were part of a team.

Miss Lepkowski always had a professional demeanor about her when working with staff or students. She was flexible in our daily schedule, as well as working with other teachers or having guests in our room. She was willing to adjust her plans depending on the children's grasp of the lesson. Her keen ability to offer differentiated instruction was evident in all areas, but especially math. She had varied post assessments that were project based.

When there were interruptions in the classroom, Jenna always kept the flow of the lesson going. She attended many school functions to be a part of the school community. Even after she tore her ACL, she continued to coach volleyball.

Being a teacher is natural for Miss Lepkowski. She was very confident in her actions, well prepared to teach, and easily developed a report with the students. I give the highest recommendation to Miss Jenna Lepkowski for a teaching position. Any school would be fortunate to have her on their staff.

Sincerely,

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