



## STREETSBORO HIGH SCHOOL

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I would like to recommend Katie Romanic as an elementary or secondary visual art teacher. I have served as Katie's cooperating teacher at Streetsboro High School where she successfully completed her secondary student teaching experience. Katie is always well prepared, has displayed much professionalism, has created thorough lessons plans with excellent visuals, is hard working and has built great rapport with her students by giving constructive help and showing care and respect in her interactions with all the students.

Katie prepares for student learning with well-organized lesson plans with clearly stated learning objectives. I like how she encourages creative problem-solving skills and independent learners through her lessons and makes connections to societal issues and experiences relevant to the student's lives. She has shown consistent monitoring of student work, checking for understanding, giving individual help and making immediate instructional adjustments (if needed) during the lessons. Katie created a comfortable class environment that was respectful and supportive, while maintaining good classroom management. Katie also demonstrates an understanding and uses a variety of diagnostic, formative and summative assessments to evaluate student learning and deliver effective instruction. Katie demonstrated that she will go "above and beyond", when she collaborated with another teacher assisting our students who volunteered to construct and paint decorations for Prom; often working with them after school to get the project completed. I feel that Katie connected with our students early on, when she showed some of her own artwork to the classes which was impressive. They saw her as an artist and a teacher from the beginning.

I sincerely enjoyed working with Katie Romanic and would not hesitate to highly recommend her as an art teacher. I'm sure with Katie's artistic skills, knowledge, great attitude, and strong work ethic her future as an art teacher will be a successful one and any school district would be fortunate to have her as part of their staff.

Sincerely,

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