To Whom It May Concern:

It is with great pleasure that I write this recommendation on behalf of Catherine Suarez.

Mrs. Suarez teaches First Grade Dual Langauge at Fabra Elementary School, in Boerne, Texas. Our son had a real "WOW" experience with Mrs. Suarez in First Grade! Mrs. Suarez approaches her role with such passion, her love of children and teaching is felt by each person that enters her classroom. She does so much "above and beyond" to give each child a whole and unique learning experience. She sets very high expectations for her students, and they do not let her down.

Our son has developed a sincere passion for learning, which we attribute to his experiences with Mrs. Suarez. She uses such a variety of teaching techniques in her classroom, including Whole Brain Learning, Montessori theories, yoga — the students even graphed their reading progress and results. This is all done in Spanish! Our son comes home excited to share it all with us.

I am proud to be an advocate and a cheerleader for the Dual Language program in our school district. It is very evident that Mrs. Suarez is a serious contributor to our program. It is so important for students in the Dual Language program to start off with a strong foundation and solid language proficiency. This is a gift that Mrs. Suarez shares with her students, and she leaves them with even more.

Please give Catherine Suarez your utmost consideration. It is a real honor and privilege for me to share this part of her story.

Regards,

Maryanna Pearson Boerne, Texas