## WHITMORE CHARTER SCHOOLS

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"Our family working with your family."

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To Whom It May Concern,

It is my pleasure to recommend Mr. Dennis Frayne for a teaching position within your school district.

Dennis has been teaching for three years and is very serious about his craft. He makes music fun for students and is able to keep them interested by focusing on both the standards and the curriculum in which he uses. He is very knowledgeable and creative and even set up the high school AP Music Theory course because there was a need and demand for it. Dennis does a great job reflecting on and adjusting his teaching to continue to meet the needs of his students.

While at Whitmore, Dennis put on shows for our elementary, junior high, and high school – several of them being held within the same week. He does well under pressure and always makes sure to put his best foot forward. Dennis is an extremely dedicated educator who thrives when working with students.

Dennis also works well with his colleagues and proved in doing so with his fine arts team here at Whitmore. He was the lone music teacher and would go above and beyond to help and support the drama, dance, art, and ASL teachers to produce exciting and well rehearsed productions that ranged from musicals to band and choir events. Not only did he support his schoolsite team, he pushed himself further and helped produce four district wide music events. The shows were all successful and proves just how much time and effort Dennis puts into his work. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at <a href="mailto:naguiar@ceres.k12.ca.us">naguiar@ceres.k12.ca.us</a> or (209) 556-1610.

Respectfully,

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