



# LAKE SHORE HIGH SCHOOL

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To Whom It May Concern:

**Mr. John Hartley**

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I am pleased to write this letter of recommendation for Tasha Candela. Tasha has been employed with Lake Shore Public Schools at our high school for the past three school years. During this time, Tasha has been an asset to our staff and student community.

Tasha is actively involved with our students. She is the advisor for the Class of 2011. In this role, she leads our 11<sup>th</sup> grade student council and coordinates the activities this group is involved in. During homecoming, and throughout the year, Tasha devotes a major amount of her personal time to help develop leadership among this group of students. Tasha is also always present at school functions and events to support our students.

**Mrs. Amanda McKay**

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Tasha has taught Business Education and some English Language Arts courses over the past three years. She excels at designing engaging lesson plans that challenge her students to think creatively and learn lessons which will ready them for the career market. Tasha does an amazing job at incorporating technology into all of her lessons. One example would be her classroom Blackboard site. Tasha also involves parents in their son and/or daughter's learning. She sends parents a weekly email to update them on the activities, assignments, and assessments that will happen in class.

Finally, Tasha shows an admirable dedication and passion for her students. Each day before school, during lunch, and after school, Tasha opens her classroom and makes herself available to assist her students. Many of our students do not have a home computer; Tasha is sensitive to this and gives her own time in order to allow students to work in a computer lab with her supervision. This generosity of time shown daily is one of the reasons why the students that Tasha works with see her as an excellent example of a staff member they can trust and readily learn from.

If you would like to talk personally about Tasha please contact me by phone at 517-505-5689 or 586-285-8995.

Sincerely,

Amanda McKay  
Assistant Principal

***Lake Shore High School Mission:***

*To ensure the lifelong academic, social, and career development  
of all students in becoming responsible and valued citizens*