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To Whom It May Concern:

I am pleased to write this letter of recommendation for Allison Zenner for a position teaching music. She specializes in teaching strings and orchestra, additionally, she has four years of experience teaching choir and general music. As her direct supervisor, committee member, and professor while she earned a master's degree in music education at San Francisco State, I offer the subsequent comments.

While under my supervision, Allison demonstrated a strong work ethic, she consistently submitted assignments on time, and was a self-directed learner. In class discussions, Allison enhanced our discussions yet attained and incorporated new views in music education. She cares about her peers and worked well with the other master's candidates.

At San Francisco State University Allison developed a curriculum for her current teaching position that combined a comprehensive pedagogical approach to teaching beginning violin students and knowledge in the most recent research in child development and music education. The final product resulted in an organized process for student success using an extensive variety of teaching techniques.

Furthermore, Allison concentrated her master's thesis research on a problem that would help her to advance her current position's music program, showing her dedication and her desire to develop the best music program wherever she is employed. While enrolled in her master's thesis coursework, she received constructive feedback with a positive attitude and would work hard to ensure her projects and assignments were quality, demonstrating her desire for continuous development and education in her field

Without hesitation, I recommend Allison for your school. She is a thoughtful, dedicated, and respectful person and would be a dependable colleague, passionate teacher, and asset to your school.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Wendell Hanna".

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