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Re: Reference for Andrea Sinden, Tauranga Swim School

To whom it may concern

This is to confirm that Andrea has coordinated a swim programme at Oropi School during February-March of each year, for the last three years, based at the Oropi School Pool.

I have been highly impressed with Andrea's efficiency at running this programme. It always runs very smoothly, with no major timetabling issues. It could be a very complicated process catering for the 150-200 children that she coordinates into small group lessons over a period of five to ten 45 minute lesson slots.

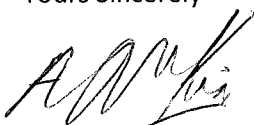
This is a programme for the whole school, all children, Year 1-8. The seniors are also involved in a water safety programme that is added on to their swim lessons. She coordinates her team of swim instructors highly effectively who are skilled swim instructors and I am very impressed with the progress all our children make during the period of swim lessons.

Andrea is able to work around school timetabling requirements and caters for this with consideration of our needs with no hesitation or issues. She is also very approachable and takes the initiative to keep all teachers well informed about the timetabling and any alterations that may be required.

Andrea and her team assess the children very effectively at the start and end of the programme, making it very transparent in understanding what specific swimming skills the children have been taught and learnt.

I highly recommend the use of Tauranga Swim School to any school serious about having all children in their school involved in quality water safety and swimming instruction as part of their curriculum.

Yours Sincerely



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