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To whom it may concern,

It gives me great pleasure to write a testimonial for Mr Nikhil Dally, Principal of Stepping Notes Music School.

I invited Mr Dally to provide training on 'Teaching Music through the Body and Voice' in May 2010 having previously seen his work with parents and children at his school in Egham. I had been very impressed by not only his professional and thorough approach to music teaching but also by his excellent communication skills which enabled him to keep children of a variety of ages and their parents totally engaged and stimulated throughout each lesson.

The training which he provided for Bracknell Forest teachers was meticulously planned with a wide range of resources to support the various activities undertaken during the training. The training was fast paced and rigorous in content yet delivered in such a way as to make it a tremendously enjoyable experience for all. Everybody who attended gave extremely positive feedback and have requested that Mr Dally be invited back for more 'follow-on' training in the next academic year.

Mr Dally is a very talented teacher whose passion for music is evident in all of his work. I am very keen for him to return to Bracknell Forest to give further training to our staff and can whole heartedly recommend him as both a teacher of children and a trainer of adults.

Yours sincerely,

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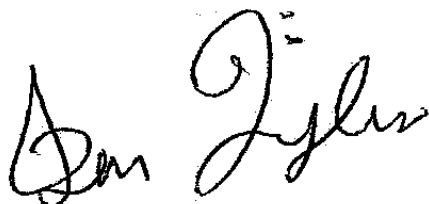
## Staff Training Day 2009

Dear Nikhil

I am writing to thank you for the training that you provided for the Len Tyler Music School staff on 8 June. I was very pleased with the sessions you provided. You were able to lead the staff through a series of practical examples of music teaching within a demonstration lesson in such a way that both experienced and less experienced teachers were able to gain a great deal. Your focus on the use of movement combined with singing to teach music was indeed of great value as was your use of such high quality instruments. Much of what we learned was put into practice in the classroom immediately.

You are clearly an expert in your field with the genuine high standards that the children within our society should be exposed to on a regular basis. Your excellent approach to the whole matter music education for young children was very refreshing and I have no hesitation in recommending your workshops and training sessions to anyone that wants to learn how to teach music to young children.

Yours truly,



Len Tyler