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Mrs Lisa Steindorf

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Mrs Lisa Steindorf has been a parent at ISW since August 2005. As a parent at our school she has always shown an active interest in our holistic approach to education, learning the 'hows and whys' of our teaching and learning pedagogy, and has consistently been a fully supportive and contributing member of the wider school community.

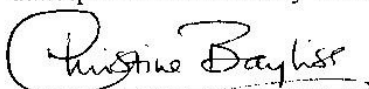
It has been a pleasure to get to know Mrs Steindorf, not just as a parent of two of our students, but also for the excellent work she does in her own right as an educator. She epitomises the life long learner, demonstrates an open and considerate mind-set and quite obviously cares about people.

Due to her extensive consultancy work in German schools, with education authorities and establishments across Europe and in Canada, and after having learned more about her work as a founder and director for the Center for PEACE education, I approached Mrs Steindorf to see if she would be interested in running a series of workshops for parents here at our school. Since then she has in fact run three very successful courses – all of which have been well attended and enthusiastically received. We have had nothing but positive feedback from our parents, who have been so grateful for this opportunity to develop some conflict resolution and self-empowerment strategies which they have managed to put into positive effect in the home – thus helping to promote a peaceful and constructive environment for every family member.

Mrs Steindorf has also been asked into school on several occasions to talk with some of our classes on how to build and maintain friendships. Her work with our grade six last year was particularly productive and felt by the teacher to have been of considerable benefit to the students.

We are now as a faculty, looking forward to a further presentation from Mrs Steindorf, in which she will discuss ways in which we can promote a positive and productive school climate based on trust, respect and consideration within the classroom and amongst the students and how this could impact the overall learning environment.

Mrs Steindorf is a committed, hard working, organised and thorough professional. We greatly appreciate her contributions to our school both at the parental and private level and would wish to recommend her to any school or institution seeking ways and opportunities to develop their skills at creating a harmonious, productive working atmosphere in which every involved member becomes a contributor and a benefactor – whether young or old.



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