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To whom it may concern,

I am writing to you on behalf of a student I work with at Pacific High School named Austin Brown. I have worked with Austin for the last 15 years in the Special Education Department. Austin has Down Syndrome. He also has a great sense of humor and loves the game of basketball! Football too, especially if the Beavers are playing!

Austin has been a part of the PHS basketball team for the last three years; he participates at the home games and usually the last minute or two of the game.

He graduated with a modified diploma in June 2015. He continues to come to school for the social interaction, life skills, and work experience. He has an aide with him throughout the school day.

Please consider his "hardship", as he simply won't be able to understand if he is unable to be a part of the team.

Thank you very much for your time,

Shannon Wagner-PHS

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