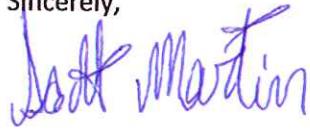


To whom it may concern,

My name is Scott Martin and I have been an Athlete since I was 4 years old but when my parents got a divorce in the 7th grade I decided to forget about the good grades and my future and I slacked off in school because I was immature and I didn't realize it was going to affect me until junior year when I talked to Mr. Wolf and he told me the truth that I wasn't going to graduate on time and I sure wasn't going to be able to play sports that year knowing that sent me into a further downhill spiral because I haven't been able to play sports in high school and I felt there was nothing I could do but During my conversation with Mr. Wolf he told me about this school that would help me get my credits back and then maybe I would be able to come back home and play sports. I decided to make a change and I applied for this Military based school called OYCP (Oregon National Guard Youth Challenge Program). The program is the hardest high school in the nation with very high standards. During my 5 1/2 month stay at OYCP I learned not to procrastinate I also have learned many beneficial skills that I am using outside of OYCP like Academic Excellence, Physical fitness and job skills. I have always wanted to participate in sports but I was always unable to because of my grades but now I am getting good grades and I am going to keep working hard to produce good grades so I can graduate with a good G.P.A so I can pursue my dreams and go to college and become a dental hygienist.

I have always wanted to play sports in high school but I haven't had the opportunity. I am on track to graduate with my class and I am hoping that you allow me to play sports my senior year. Please take this into consideration thank you.

Sincerely,



Scott E. Martin