

## **QUEEN VICTORIA**



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I was fortunate enough to have had Markus Richter in my Grade 6 class at Queen Victoria for the December 2019 placement. He is without a doubt a highly effective teacher. During his observation week, he interacted with the students by giving up his nutrition breaks to sit and play games with them.

Mr. Richter is extremely hard-working and conscientious. He independently planned his lessons according to the curriculum expectations and linked his daily lessons to his long range plans. His lessons were extremely well thought-out and he consistently brought in additional resources to augment instruction. His lesson deliveries were enthusiastic, technology was consistently integrated, and as a result, students were engaged and behavioral problems were avoided. He has outstanding classroom management skills. He successfully maintained already established routines, while maintaining a pleasant and comfortable classroom environment. The students participated eagerly in his class and weren't afraid to take risks, due to his kind and encouraging approach. Student work was tracked, promptly assessed and valuable one-on-one feedback was given.

Mr. Richter is a highly motivated and dedicated teacher who shows genuine concern for all his students and a passion for teaching. Although his placement has finished, he continues to come back to Queen Victoria to volunteer in the classroom on days he is not at the faculty. I am confident that he could take over my class and be successful. During his placement, I felt I had a teaching partner, rather than a student-teacher. His teaching qualities along with his work ethics and outstanding personality would make him an asset to any staff.

Sincerely,

Simone Meo