



To Whom It May Concern,

My name is Kyle Goldcamp and I am the Director of Campus Ministry and Assistant Athletic Director at Pittsburgh Central Catholic High School. It is my honor to talk about David Collins. He is an upstanding young man who has a tremendous work ethic. He is a very kind and compassionate individual who works well with others. He is very involved here at school both in the classroom and in extracurricular activities.

David has been a member of the Lasallian Ministry Executive Board here at school this past year. Members have to go through a rigorous interview and application process. Students on this board are in charge of recruiting fellow students to participate in service opportunities, as well as, taking a leadership role with the school's various mission drives and liturgies. David has been faithful in his role on the board and is one of the senior members I count on for many of these activities. He engages his peers to see the value in serving others and inspires them to be active in the school community and their home communities as well. His role as a member of the Executive Board he is responsible for coordinating the three collection drives the school offers during Thanksgiving, Advent, and Lent. In addition, David is integral in preparing for Masses, while also participating in the liturgies by lecturing, altar serving, and being an Extraordinary Ministry of the Eucharist to the school community. His devotion to his faith is a powerful witness to his peers.

David is also heavily involved with our service program at Central. He is a regular participant with our weekly outreach to the Shadyside Boy's and Girl's Club. There he is able to put his faith into action. He mentors and tutors the younger students he interacts with. Through his commitment he builds relationships with his mentees and lives out his God-given call to serve others. David also has gone on our summer Appalachia Service Immersion Trips for the last two summers at Central. There again he encounters the other and looks to get know those he is serving in his time.

David is also a part of the My Brother's Keeper mentoring program here at Central. This program entails seniors mentoring a small group of freshmen here at Central Catholic. During this program David has done a tremendous job helping and mentoring the younger students. He is patient and engaging with them. It was seen on numerous occasions that David would take time with each freshman individually to ensure that they are adjusting well to life at Central Catholic. This again speaks to the type of person David is he cares about others and wants to see them succeed as much as he has at Central Catholic.

David is a great asset to wherever goes because he is a compassionate individual who has a true heart to serve others. He is diligent and patient with those he is serving while also remaining on task. He has demonstrated on multiple occasions the ability to take charge of a situation and is more than capable of leading a project successfully. He also is able to work as part of a team and will make sure the task is fully completed. I know David will continually seek out leadership and service opportunities as he transitions out of high school. He is an intelligent and hardworking young man who would benefit any community he will be a part of moving forward.

Sincerely,  
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