



Lake Worth Community Middle School

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To whom it may concern,

This letter is an enthusiastic and effusive recommendation for author Stephen Kozan following his visit to Lake Worth Community Middle School December 8th 2021. We are a Title 1 school with a 94% free and reduced lunch population that includes a Pre-Medical Sciences academy and a Gateway to Technology Pre-Engineering Academy.

We had 125 students in grades 6 and 7 attend the presentation and participate in the flash writing assignment in the media center, with about 125 students writing their stories because it was standing room only, which provided an intimate setting for questions, comments and verbal interactions. The students were thoroughly engaged during the presentation, and Mr. Kozan was remarkable in his command of over one hundred 11 and 12 year olds.

Thank you TE Connectivity for making this presentation possible for my students. I highly recommend this program for eliciting engagement in creativity, literacy, and author appreciation. It will be a wonderful event when we are able to bring in local media to share in the final published book presentation next year.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

With great appreciation,

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