

Re: Reference for Reeta Prasad

March 8, 2012

To Whom it May Concern,

As a parent of two of Mrs. Reeta Prasad's former students, I cannot recommend her highly enough as a care-giver. Both of my daughters attended the Joy of Learning Montessori School (our eldest for 3 years, and our youngest for 1 year, prior to its closure), where they were fortunate enough to have Mrs. Prasad as a teacher.

Mrs. Prasad is a caring, giving and nurturing woman, and a natural child care provider. There are some people just made to work with children, and she is one of them, young kids gravitate to her, and she delights in their company. She is firm without being harsh, encourages a positive atmosphere, and I have never known her to raise her voice or get angry with a child. The environment she creates is peaceful, and she treats children with respect and courtesy, and expects the same from them in return.

In addition to being wonderful with children, Mrs. Prasad also has many years of experience and education behind her, including full training as a Montessori educator. The Montessori philosophy takes into account the sponge-like nature of our young children, and I can say with confidence that Mrs. Prasad will help your child to grow and learn, creating an excellent foundation for when they begin school. My eldest child benefitted hugely from the great beginning she had at the Joy of Learning, and I'm sure Mrs. Prasad will be incorporating a lot of the methods and materials used in a Montessori classroom, while also providing your child with enrichment in a variety of other ways. She is passionate about early childhood education, and about children in general.

In the 7 years since I met Reeta, I have come to know her both as a wonderful instructor and care giver to my children, but also as a friend. I have been to her home and seen for myself the care and attention she has put into creating a safe and structured environment for the children in her charge. She and her husband are two of the most generous and welcoming people I know, and I am very glad that we have been able to stay in touch with them.

As a parent, I would not hesitate to entrust my children again to Mrs. Prasad's care, and I hope you will do the same. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at the phone number or email below.

Sincerely,

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