

To whom it may concern:

I have known Kristiyan since he was in the 8-th grade. It was a pleasure and a challenge for me to be his math teacher at the Math and Science Highschool in Blagoevgrad for four years. Each year there are students who stand out with their knowledge, attitude to learning, responsibility, resourcefulness, and out-of-the-box thinking. Kristiyan is one of those students.

His awards and achievements in contests in mathematics, computer science, physics, engineering drawing, and information technologies are innumerable. It is because he is our school's best asset that he presides over the Students' Council and carries the school flag at official ceremonies.

Kristiyan is unique in terms of his character and behaviour too. He always helps and supports his classmates who respect appreciate him in return. During the COVID pandemic, as far back as its inception, he was the one to give me valuable and much needed help. He would take the trip from his home to my place every day to help me record videos for my online classes; he would give ingenious ideas how to make the video more motivating; he would bring his own technical devices to provide for the quality and appeal of the study content.

Kristiyan has diverse and numerous interests. In addition to his passion for science, he is an exceptional cook; his cakes and pastries are out of this world. He has a keen eye for applied arts and his exquisite works have been included in most school exhibitions. Ever since he was a child, he has been part of the folklore group *Veselina* and as their tambura player he has been on multiple national and international tours. He is into sports too. He plays volleyball and table tennis. His true passion, however, is chess.

He is inherently avid to learn and practice new skills and master unfamiliar areas of knowledge. He does all that obtaining the most pleasure in the process. To describe him in just a few words, he is accurate, responsible, inventive, seeking challenges.

Considering all these qualities, I truly recommend that you pay due attention to his application and accept him to the university community to which he will bring an air of freshness, diversity and competitiveness.

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