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Lucas Dobrzanski
Kern Athletic Fencing Foundation
10717 Loughton Ave.
Bakersfield, CA 93311

Dear Mr. Dobrzanski,

Standard School District has been very happy with the relationship we have had with your organization over the past three years. Working with our students at Standard Middle School has given many of them the boost in confidence and belonging that they have needed. Your partnership with Cal State Bakersfield faculty and staff to help tutor our students prior to their fencing participation has been a key to some of their success in growing academically as well.

We have been able to use fencing demonstrations for our showcases and, more recently, at a board meeting. The students representing the Fencing Club from X-Factor After-School Program reflected the honor and integrity that has been taught through this classical sport.

Standard School District is dedicated to serving the whole child. Kern Athletic Fencing Foundation has a similar focus and has helped us in achieving that goal for 10-15 students each year since 2012. Thank you for all your dedication and commitment, and thank you for the countless hours that are given by you and your volunteers.

Sincerely,

Paul Meyers
Superintendent, Standard School District