

Dear Coach Allocco,

I am writing this letter to thank you for all of your hard work and dedication to helping me build the characteristics of a better player and a better person. My family and I have great gratitude toward you and your staff. I remember my first time at camp in fifth grade and how I looked up to you. Your metaphors toward life and basketball are amazing. My personal favorite was the friendship stance, mostly because it not only inspired me to be a better player/teammate, but a better friend and family member. I can honestly say Excel Basketball camps are the best part of my summer. The friendships I have made will last for a long time. As my last week for this summer comes to an end I have realized that you are one of my greatest role models. I am going to use the notes I took in your lectures and use them every day. Every time I look down at my wrist and see the green and orange bracelets I will remember the valuable lessons I learned from you. I will be at many of your High School games next season. See you soon!

Your player

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