

A SAMPLE of the LOVE LETTER

Dear Joanna

Paragraph 1: Start off with the very purpose of the letter. Tell your child you LOVE him/her. Example:

Mummy and daddy might not say this enough at home, but we want you to know that both of us love you very much. You are mummy and daddy's greatest treasure in our lives.

Paragraph 2: Indicate how HAPPY you are about your child is attending the programme. Example:

Mummy and daddy are extremely happy that you were agreed to attend this I Am Gifted! programme on your own. It really goes to show how much you have grown and how brave you are.

Paragraph 2, 3 & 4: Write about the things you LOVE, feel PROUD and APPRECIATE about your child. Remember to give specific examples as much as possible. Example:

Since young, you were a joyous child, bringing laughter to everywhere you go. Your actions and smile bring joy to our family. Growing up, we love that you would wake up in the morning on your own without us calling you and even take the initiative to pack your room when you feel it gets messy. You would run to us every time you finish packing, feeling very proud of yourself, and we would always praise you for the job well done.

Do you remember when you were in Primary 2 when you got your first 100/100 for your exams? We are super proud of you, especially when we know that you have worked hard the days before the exam to study for it. We were so proud of you when you won a medal for your CCA competition. Watching you go up on stage to collect your well deserved medal almost brought tears to our eyes and we wanted to tell the whole world that we are your parents!

We want you to know that we really appreciate you for all the times you would run to daddy to give him a massage after his long day at work and offer to make me milo in the morning for breakfast. Remember the time mummy was having a fever and couldn't get out of bed? We really appreciate how you took wonderful care of mummy and even fall asleep next to mummy to make sure that she feels better in the night.

Paragraph 5: Reassure your child that you will always be there for him/her and show unconditional LOVE.

Our love for you will never end. We want you to know that regardless of what you do, we will love you and support you in all the goals you set. No matter what happens in the future, know that you can count on mummy and daddy to be there for you.

Love, hugs & kisses,

Mummy & Daddy

(Signature)