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Dear Mr. Delozier,

I just wanted to take a moment to tell you how impressed I was with your program for our junior class during orientation this fall. There are not many teenagers who enjoy getting up early on non-class days to do orienting activities. To be honest, when the students first arrived to the fields, I could sense some surliness! However, within minutes of the first group activity, the kids were dialed in as they attempted to solve a challenge using ping-pong balls, cups, and collaboration. To watch kids who only twenty minutes earlier were disengaged and groggy run around the gym attempting to 'break records' was awesome and spoke to your program. This activity coupled with the quiet partner reflection activity and ropes activity created such a nice springboard for me as I began my junior English classes a day later. Your staff was engaged and passionate and helped make for an incredible experience for our kids. Thank you again and hope to see you soon!

Sincerely,

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