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Dear principal Stephens,

This is a gratitude letter. I want to say thank you for the huge difference you made in my \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ many years ago.

Back in 1970, I was a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at Lingcoln High. You were the principal. One day, you called me into your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. I remember feeling scared! However, you just wanted to give me some advice.

You said, “ Marc, you should think about being a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.” This was the first time anyone told me that.

So I took a children development class, and when I was a senior, I spent time \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at an elementary school as a teacher’s aide. After that, I went to university and majored in education.

One thing leads to another, and now, many years later, I’m a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at an university in Japan. I write textbooks and lead teacher workshops around the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. I and one of those \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ people whose job touches people’s lives.

And I owe this to you. You were the one who aimed me in this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. For that, I want to say \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.