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To Ken Gaines

I Wish to demonstrate my support as a professional for the industry body within the Information and Communication Applied General sector, as I feel the following qualifications are highly beneficial for young people between the ages of 16-19.

I believe that this qualification gives students a varied skill-set required for today's flexible workforce. The broadbase provides a solid foundation from which everyone can grow and develop both their technical and business skills. Please find inserted below an e-mail I received from one of my students earlier this summer in which he stated that the qualification and the way it was delivered has provided him with a fantastic opportunity which he is now embracing: -

*Hi Dave.*

*Not sure if you remember me, you probably do because you always used to tell me off at college last year. Anyways it's been a long time but I have been meaning to get this email to you for a very long time now but i've been really busy.*

*Took your advice, and knuckled down, don't speak to anyone from college anymore, and got myself an Apprenticeship last September working in a high school as a technician (Heath Park Hig) pretty much next to the New Cross Hospital. I work in a team of 3 at the moment (2 technicians & network manager) and I really enjoy it there. We have just took over a primary school in the area aswell and our team offer technical support to them, last week my contract got extended and I got took on there after an impressive year as an apprentice. I finished all my college work 4 months early and they we're really pleased with my efforts.*

*The whole meaning of this email is too basically say thanks so much for getting me through those 2 years at college, now I have landed myself a really good job and hopefully can build on this and earn myself alot of ££££ like you always used to tell me. Without your advice i'd probably be sat on the dole now doing nothing, but you helped me get through my course and I can't tell you how appreciated I am.*

*Hopefully you reply and we could catch up a bit more, but if not I am glad I have got my message to you.*

*Regards,  
Curt Blunt.*



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- City & Guilds Level 3 iTQ Certificate for IT users
- City & Guilds Level 3 Certificate in ICT Systems and Principles
- City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Diploma for Software Developers

for the DfE 2016 performance tables in the Technical Level category.

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Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of several overlapping loops and lines.

System Support Tutor