



Paul Taylor

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Dear Ms. Kittlestad:

I am writing this recommendation in support of Paul Taylor's addition to your roster of performers and artists in residence. Paul performed at our school on February 10, and he was received with great enthusiasm by both children and teachers.

Our Community Gatherings include teachers, staff and 270 students ranging in age from 3 to 12. It is often difficult for performers to keep the attention of such a wide variety in our audiences, but Paul Taylor was able to entertain and educate everyone for over one hour! Some children were invited to participate in the performance; everyone sang songs and heard folktales of Australia. We also heard stories of Paul's life growing up in Australia. Overall it was a high energy, interactive performance which the children loved.

The teachers were very impressed with the performance, but were particularly interested in the packet of materials Paul had sent when we booked the performance. This included maps, brochures, stories, activities and crafts to use in the classroom as a supplement to the study of Australia. That packet is still making its way from classroom to classroom where teachers are incorporating the contents in their lessons.

I heartily recommend Paul Taylor as an addition to your roster, and hope to see his name in future Young Audiences of Colorado catalogs.

Sincerely,

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