Dr. Z has been my teacher for the past two years. She started off as my fourth grade teacher and then became my Inks teacher in the middle of the year. She excelled in both roles in many ways. For example, she always encourages me to do my best. A bad mood never comes her way. Dr. Z is a great person to talk to. When things are going on in my life, she always listens without judgement and is very supportive. 2017 has been a difficult year for my family and Dr. Z has always been a friend that I could talk to. When I see her after school, I always give her a hug and she is eager to give me one back. Sometimes a hug is all you need.

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