

To Whom It May Concern,

My daughter attends Uplift Academy/California Prep online (high school) and it has been a true Godsend from the beginning. She has been attending for a couple of years now and it was a blessing to find a way for her to continue her schooling while she dealt with ADHD, anxiety and depression. She was not able to attend normal high school due to social anxiety, so we had to find another way for her to continue school.

Luckily someone told us about public school online being an option. My daughter has had a very positive experience with her teachers, guidance counselors and administrators. They have all been so supportive of her. One thing that's especially amazing is how the teachers go the extra mile to give her extra one-on-one support as much as possible. That, along with their ongoing encouragement, has made a huge difference in my daughter's life.

In addition, the administrators and guidance counselors always make themselves available when we have questions about things like classes she should take or graduation requirements. I have found them all to be, without exception, responsive, empathetic and professional. It's clear they care not only about the quality of their school and curriculum, but also about their students.

I'm happy to say that my daughter got through all of her learning and emotional challenges, and is now doing very well in life. She's plugging away in her classes and it's clear that her online school experience has been a very positive and steady part of her life these last years. As a parent, I'm very grateful for Uplift Academy/California Prep and the opportunity that students in California have to do online schooling.

Thank you,

Lori McDaniel