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Mr. Ben Kurian
Olentangy Liberty Middle School
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Dear Mr. Kurian:

Please allow me to extend my hearty congratulations to you on your first-place finish in the 2023 C-SPAN StudentCam competition.

This achievement comes after months of perseverance and hard work on your part, as well as support from your teachers and families. The opioid crisis is a serious public health challenge, and I admire your advocacy on this topic. We must ensure communities across Ohio have the resources they need to prevent, treat, and recover from the addiction crisis, and I am committed to working with members of both parties to combat this public health crisis by taking an all-of-the-above approach and investing in education, prevention, treatment, and recovery.

Attracting and retaining talented young leaders like yourself is essential for Ohio's economic success. I can't wait to see how far you go, and how proud you'll make your home state.

Congratulations again on your achievements. I wish you all the best as you continue your studies.

Sincerely,



Sherrod Brown
United States Senator