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Sia Ghatak
The Pingry School
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Dear Sia,

Thank you for your letter. I love to hear from students! I appreciate your interest in our great state and am happy to share one of my favorite recipes.

South Carolina is a beautiful state to visit and a wonderful place to live. From the mountains to the Lowcountry, there are countless opportunities to learn about history, participate in a variety of outdoor activities, enjoy delicious food, and meet some of the friendliest people in the nation. To learn more about the Palmetto State, please visit www.discoverouthcarolina.com, www.sciway.net, and www.scstatehouse.gov.

Thanks again for writing. Keep up the good work, and I wish you the best of luck in the future. God bless.

My very best,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Nikki".

Nikki R. Haley

NRH/ld

Enclosures

A handwritten note in black ink that reads "Proud of you Sia." with a small exclamation point.

Proud of you
Sia.