

TEACHER Summary

Education professional driven to create an environment that promotes hands-on learning for children at all stages of the learning process.

Highlights

- Microsoft Office
- Smart Board
- Geographic Information System
- Engrade
- Skedula
- Working knowledge of Internet
- First Aid and CPR Certified
- Excellent classroom management

Accomplishments

Counseling

- Developed and implemented the Fairness Committee, which is a restitution process run by students to help resolve peer issues in a positive, non-judgmental environment
- Served as student mentor and counselor for students when academic problems and personal adjustments arose, meeting with guardians to reach solutions.

Plan Development

- Monitored and facilitated weekly meeting of Student Council
- Instructed and advised on leadership skills, incorporated a trip to Ramapo for Children to help instill those leadership qualities.
- Developed a student-based constitution, and ensured its implementation.
- Oversaw all student government issues. Coordinated with the COSA teacher to plan and implement school-wide events.
- Organized and planned a Holiday Gift Giving event in conjunction With the Coney Island Generation Gap at the NY Aquarium.
- In-cooperation with Diploma Plus High School and Coney Island Generation Gap organized and supervised a Teen Summit about success after High School and Greening the Community.
- Organized and supervised Student Talent Showcase.
- Organized and supervised senior trip, prom, and graduation.
- Ran fund-raising events including a fund-raising benefit concert for a young child who has San Fillipo Syndrome.
- Coordinated a "Pay it Forward Campaign" in our school.

Community Service

- Served as Environmental action team leader
- Won two National Events and came in second in another event.
- Instilled importance of conservation and protection of the environment, by beach clean ups, environmental awareness events, paperless Friday to celebrate Earth Day, and established a recycling program in our school.
- Monitored the cleaning of Keiser Park Beach in Coney Island where we pulled off over 1,000 pounds of garbag
- Sponsered a graffiti clean up in Coney Island.
- Affiliations include Alliance for Climate Education, Partnership for Parks/Coney Island division, Friends of Kaiser Park, Community board 13, Coney Island Generation Gap, and Urban Neighborhood Services.

Experience

Teacher , 09/2009 to Current Company Name - City , State

- **Taught Regents level Earth Science** , developed curriculum, projects, and exams, facilitated and administered required labs, incorporated film throughout the curriculum exclusively used SmartBoard lessons to enhance student learning.
- **Environmental Science:** Taught 11th Grade Environmental Science.
- Developed curriculum, projects, and exams.
- Facilitated labs and activities.
- **Health** : Taught basic Health class incorporating the six components of Health: Physical; Emotional; Social; Mental; Spiritual; and Environmental.

Female Soccer Assistant Coach , 08/2012 to Current Company Name - City , State

- Coordinated practices, taught basic and advanced skills
- Created and ran up-to-date and relevant drills
- Monitored the academic performance of student-athletes in addition to their athletic progress.
- Helped develop each participant's physical and psychological fitness.
- Fostered a culture of good sportsmanship, cooperation and responsibility.
- Motivated and encouraged student athletes to do their best during practices and games.

School Safety Officer , 01/1996 to 10/1998 Company Name - City , State

- Provided safe and secure learning environment in various high schools, became a qualified driver.
- Father Flanagan's Boy's Town Non-secured Detention Facility.

Youth Care Worker/Recreation Director , 01/1994 to 01/1996 Company Name - City , State

- Facilitated and planned all recreational activities: including calisthenics, basketball games, pool tournaments, and trips away from facility.
- Taught social skills to youth incarcerated for non-violent crimes in anticipation of release back into society, implemented treatment plans set by qualified therapists.
- Worked closely with the youth to implement Boy's Town's Behavior Modification program.

Education

Master of Education : Curriculum & Instruction Environmental Education , 2015 Concordia University (On-Line) - City , State , United States

Curriculum & Instruction Environmental Education

Bachelor of Arts : Earth Science Teacher , 2009 Brooklyn College/ CUNY - City , State , USA

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Global Learning and Observations to Benefit the Environment (G.L.O.B.E.)

Skills

- Classroom Management
- Community Involvement
- Classroom Instruction
- Critical Thinking
- Urban Classroom setting

Professional Affiliations

National Science Teachers Association

New York Academy of Sciences

United Federation of Teachers