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1) What do you do?

Ans: I'm currently a student at NorthSouth University in my 12th semester and I'm also a part time graphics designer. I used to teach at a coaching centre for university admission before I started as a part time graphics designer.

2) Have you ever taught students? If you did, for how long did you teach them?

Ans: Yes I did use to teach students before the pandemic, the last two students that I have taught, one of them I taught for like 6 months and the other for 4 months.

3) How long have you been in the teaching profession?

Ans: I have been teaching for 5 years.

4) What is the best teaching material according to you? Why do you think it is the best?

Ans: I think textbooks are the best teaching material out there. This is because most of the questions that the students encounter in an exam are taken from the textbooks. I even had the experience of teaching students using guides, but the problem with guides is that the students often find it unnecessarily difficult.

5) What are the subjects you usually taught?

Ans: Physics, Chemistry, Math, Biology.

6) Did you face any difficulty/challenges while teaching your students these subjects?

Ans: I mostly faced this problem while I was teaching at the coaching center. This is mainly due to the fact that students from several platforms and institutes were coming to the coaching centre and their capability of understanding a particular topic depended on the amount of study they had done in their past academic life.

7) Did you face any difficulty/challenges while teaching the school students?

Ans: Yes, I faced difficulty while teaching the students chemistry. It was often the case that the students were memorising the contents without understanding them. This was due to the absence of background knowledge about a particular topic in the textbooks.

8) Have you ever used smartphones to teach your students? If yes, why?

Ans: Yes I did use a smartphone to teach my students. I used my smartphone to give my students a better understanding of a particular phenomenon by showing videos on youtube; for instance, I once showed a video of a volcanic eruption to make my student understand how a volcano erupts. The amount of visual understanding he got from the video was impossible for him to get from a 2D figure in the textbook.

9) What smartphone do you use?

Ans: Xiaomi Poco Phone F1

10) Have you ever used any electronic device other than smartphones to teach your students?

Ans: Yes, other than my smartphone, I used laptops and desktop computers to teach my students.