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**EDUCATION**

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| Jan. 2018 to Oct. 2022 | **Bachelor of Education degree, the University of South Africa** Major: English and Afrikaans languages (with elective modules in Geography and Mathematics) |
| **High school diploma** from **Pretoria Boys High,** Brooklyn, Pretoria, South Africa | |

**CERTIFICATES**

**TEFL Certificate** from i-to-I TEFL, 120+ hours (2016)

Dale Carnegie Certificate in **Public Speaking** (2014)

**WOKING EXPERIENCES**

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| May 2024 - Present | ***English Teacher* at Monkey Tree English Learning Centre** I came to Hong Kong in 2024 to work at Monkey Tree English Learning Centre, where I teach classes about the various courses the company offers, such as Trinity Academy and Cambridge courses, as well as Phonics courses for various levels.  A lot of the lessons’ focus on English proficiency, improving English spelling, vocabulary and pronunciation, English reading comprehension, language extension, motor skill development, grammar concepts, verbal application and writing. |
| Jun. 2017- March 2020 | ***Assistant Teacher* at St Dunstan’s College, Benoni**Teaching, and assisting with lessons and lesson plans for English, Mathematics, Biology, Science, Geography and History lessons in Grades 1 to 7 (ages 6 to 13).  Working at St Dunstan's, I was able to gain practical and theoretical experience and knowledge of teaching methods and philosophies. |
| April. 2016- Jun. 2017 | ***Sports Coach* at Benoni Northerns Sports Club**  U7 to u14(ages 6 to age 14) Football, Cricket, Rugby, Swimming, Archery Tennis, Water polo, Cross Country and Athletics coach |
| **Practical experience** during studies at **Curro Serengeti and St Dunstan’s College**  Both schools fostered a holistic approach to teaching, focusing on three pillars (academic, sports and cultural) to provide a nurturing environment for each student’s potential to be met. | |