REFLECTION ON EXPERIENCES AS A PHYSICAL SCIENCE TEACHER

Teaching is my passion. During my two year B.Ed curriculum I had an opportunity in 16 weeks of my internship programme as a physical science teacher. Which was in Govt..H.S.S Poothrikka in Ernakulam district, 6km away from our college. We were in three members including me who are trainees from same college, two of them were English teachers. The school had a pleasant atmosphere with a number of supporting teachers. I got an opportunity to take both Physics and Chemistry classes for students in 8th and 9th standard.

As a physical science teacher I really had a great exposure and memorable experience. My subject head, Beena teacher was very supportive and kind. She allowed me to use laboratory equipments for the demonstration of experiments. Which seemed very interesting for the students than the theory classes. The students seemed very attentive in my class and they were free to ask doubts and I cleared to my maximum.

We did many activities during our internship programme. I conducted science quiz in coordination with the science club. We conducted patriotic quiz in co-ordination with social science club. I had an opportunity to conduct parliamentary election in my class. That was a new experience for me. We evaluated the science exhibition in the school level. I trained a student for the sub district science exhibition. I had an opportunity to judge the arts competition and also I had the opportunity to conduct some sports competitions. That was a new experience in my life. The class teacher invited us to the PTA meetings and gave chances to express our suggestions to them.

I learned many things throughout my teaching sessions. One of the most important thing which I learned during the period was to be confident in the way I am . I prepared charts and learning materials, Classroom management was one of the skill I developed. Even, this period assisted me to find my two flaws during teaching session which was inaudible and imperfections while writing blackboard. I can definitely build on these skills. I wish to become a passionate teacher who can turn out socially worth while citizens along with high in curricular and co-curricular activities.