Tricia R. Finn

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Education: Teachers College, Columbia University, 2016 Reading Specialist MA

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West Chester University, Honors College, 2014

English Literature BSEd; Minor: Psychology: 3.87 Summa Cum Laude

Teaching Certification: English, Grades 7-12, PA Initial Certification

Literacy Specialist, PA and NY Initial Certifications, Anticipated: May 2016

Authorial Work: Trolley Ride through Kennett Square, 2014

Teaching Experience:

Stephen Gaynor School, New York, NY

- August 2015-Present
- Assistant teacher for students with learning differences, 6th grade
- Track coach

Skills: Co-planning and co-teaching in Social Studies, Mathematics, and Literature; executive functioning coaching; behavior management; conflict resolution

Arthur Zankel Urban Fellowship, Heritage High School, New York, NY

- September 2014-May 2015
- Literacy coach for an English as a Second Language (ESL) classroom

Skills: Providing professional development to an ESL teacher

Dean Hope Center for Educational and Psychological Services, New York, NY

- September 2014-December 2015
- Literacy practitioner

Skills: Assessing students with reading difficulties; implementing a systematic word study program; delivering evidence-based literacy instruction in word study, reading comprehension and writing

Stetson Middle School, West Chester, PA

- January 2014-May 2014
- Student teacher, 6th grade English

Skills: Fostering a safe and positive learning environment for students; creating and implementing unit plans in poetry and personal narrative writing

Related Employment:

Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, NY

- September 2015-Present
- Literacy supervisor

Skills: Advising literacy practitioners in their literacy instruction in word study, reading comprehension and writing

References: Available upon request