Madison Orendorf

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EDUCATION

West Chester University of Pennsylvania, West Chester, PA

Bachelor of Science in Education, May 2016

Major: Early Grades Preparation (PreK-4) and Special Education (PreK-8)

Cumulative GPA: 3.89/4.0, Cum Laude, Deans list (7/8 semesters)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Student Teacher January 2016-May 2016

East Ward Elementary School, Downingtown, PA

Third grade general education classroom:

- Collaborated and cooperated with mentor teacher and other teachers to assume daily classroom responsibilities including lesson preparation and implementation
- Planned and implemented third grade math, language arts, and social studies lessons for four sessions each day using the *Reading Wonders* program by McGraw Hill Education and the *Math in Focus* program by Houghton Mifflin Harcourt
- Developed and implemented an interactive unit on the Southeast region of the United States
- Gathered data through pre-assessments to develop and implement a unit on geometry followed by collecting post-assessment data to track student progress and inform teaching abilities
- Differentiated lessons for a variety of instructional and behavioral needs including a variety of learning styles
- Implemented lessons using technology including a SMART board and various iPad applications
- Volunteered to tutor students in need of extra academic support after school every Monday and Tuesday

Learning support classroom:

- Planned and implemented math and English language arts lessons for first, second, and third grade students for three sessions each day using the *Do The Math* program by Houghton Mifflin Harcourt and the *Fundations* literacy program by Wilson Language Training
- Differentiated lessons for a variety of instructional and behavioral needs
- Completed a Re-evaluation Form and Individualized Education Plan with the assistance of my cooperating teacher
- Used the Fountas and Pinnell reading assessment to gather baseline data
- Progress monitored students in math and reading fluency using Aims Web's (Pearson Education) collection of curriculum-based assessments on a weekly basis
- Gathered pre-assessment data to prepare and implement a unit of study followed by collecting post-assessment data to measure student progress and inform the effectiveness of my own instruction
- Assisted students with completing Fast Forward's Reading Readiness, an online scientifically-based reading intervention program
- Utilized the online tool, Plickers to engaged students and gather data to drive instruction

Field Experience

January 2014-December 2015

- The ARC of Chester County, West Chester, PA: Curriculum and Instruction for Individual Learning Differences II
- Saint David's Preschool, Wayne, PA: Pre-Kindergarten Methods and Field
- Manoa Elementary School, Havertown, PA: Reading Practicum- Fourth Grade
- Devereux Day School, Downingtown, PA: Behavior Management & Field Experience
- Upper Darby Kindergarten Center, Drexel Hill, PA: Theory and Field Placement
- Collegium Charter School, Exton, PA: Students with Exceptionalities
 - Prepared lessons and instructed small group math and reading instruction using the *Math in Focus* program by Houghton Mifflin Harcourt
 - Observed and assisted in a preschool, kindergarten, fourth grade, sixth grade, and eleventh grade classroom; several included students who had been diagnosed with autism
 - Created and implemented mini-lessons to teach basic academic concepts and pre-academic skills including sitting and name recognition

Worked with students individually on vocational tasks such as stocking shelves, sorting, and other tasks

CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Ministry trip to New Mexico

August 2015

- Served as the children's teacher and nursery school leader
- Prepared and implemented lessons to teach youth ages 3 to 5 on an Indian reservation in New Mexico

Member of the Council for Exceptional Children

August 2014- December 2015

- Volunteered at multiple events for exceptional children, including a talent show held at West Chester University and a fashion show held in Philadelphia
- Assisted with fundraising activities on campus

Volunteer at Friends Association of West Chester

September-October 2013

- Completed preparation work for the fall festival event
- Aided in painting the shelter homes and provided childcare while the mothers attended workshops

Member of Alpha Delta Pi Sorority

August 2013-May 2014

- Held the position of apparel chair
- Assisted by designing and taking orders for our chapters apparel

WORK EXPERIENCE

Part-time Nanny, West Chester, PA

August 2012- Present

- Provide last minute childcare, afterschool care and overnight care for families in the West Chester area
- Ages of the children range from infancy to fourteen years of age and up to four children at one time
- Facilitate play through age-appropriate interactive activities to keep the children safe and entertained
- Responsibilities include light housekeeping (dishes, laundry, vacuuming, etc.), meal preparation, and putting the children to bed
- Provide transportation to and from various places (parks, libraries, school, sporting events, etc.)
- Provide assistance with homework and other academic assignments

Full-Time Nanny, Camp Hill, PA

May 2012-August 2012, May 2013-August 2013, May 2014-August 2014, May 2015-August 2015

- Provided in-home care for two children from infancy to five years of age
- Responsibilities included meal preparation, light housekeeping, bedtime, and outings to dinner and other events such as the pool, park, or library

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Professional Development Day on Technology

February 2016

- Attended Downingtown Area School District's professional development day on technology
- Attended small group workshops that included information on how to implement a flipped classroom, use Google Drive as a teaching tool, and iPad applications for academics

Student Special Education Senior Awards Committee

December 2015-May 2015

- Worked alongside a group of colleagues to create five awards for seniors in Special Education to recognize the recipient's commitment to and passion for teaching students with disabilities
- Responsibilities as a member of this committee included: working with the committee via Google Documents to determine five awards and award criteria followed by selecting recipients for each award

Project Wild Pennsylvania

April 2015

• Received certificate of professional development for successfully completing a Project WILD workshop, a national environmental education program sponsored in Pennsylvania by the Pennsylvania Game Commission