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Objective	Compassionate, energetic teacher with experience in grades K-7 seeking a teaching position in the Pittsburgh Area.
Experience	<p>Seventh Grade ELA Teacher, Hambrick School; Houston, TX – 2016-2017</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Worked on ELA team of 7th and 8th grade teachers</li><li>• Established classroom rapport and communication among all students and staff.</li><li>• Collected data to differentiate for students' needs based on academics and language barriers.</li><li>• Engaged students by using a variety of teaching methods such as hands-on activities, group work, discussions, and demonstrations.</li><li>• Created rigorous lessons</li><li>• Established consistent rules and procedures for a student lead classroom</li><li>• Engaged in effective communications with students and parents.</li></ul> <p>Art Teacher, Oleson Elementary School, Houston TX – 2015-2016</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Presented class materials and classroom policies accurately for grades K-4.</li><li>• Developed procedures and classroom rules to be successful in an art classroom.</li><li>• Developed rapport with students</li><li>• Planned and conducted hands-on art projects to provide the students with opportunities to study, investigate, and create art.</li><li>• Worked cooperatively with classroom teachers to develop cross-curricular lessons</li></ul> <p>Fourth Grade Writing Teacher, Oleson Elementary School; Houston, TX – 2014-2015</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Worked on team in departmentalized fourth grade setting as a writing teacher for 70 students.</li><li>• Established classroom rapport and communication among all students.</li><li>• Enforced both classroom and school policies and rules at all times.</li><li>• Used a variety of teaching methods such as hands-on activities, group work, discussions, and demonstrations.</li></ul>
Education	<p>Pennsylvania State University – BS, Elementary Education, 2013</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Minor in Education Policy Studies</li><li>• Dean's List for 3 semesters</li><li>• Teacher's Assistant for First Year Seminar</li></ul>
Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Rapport with students</li><li>• Creative lesson planning</li><li>• Energetic with passion for learning</li><li>• Focused with high-standards for myself and my students</li><li>• Highly organized and able to prioritize objectives.</li></ul>
Additional Information	<p>Nominated by students for Teacher of the Month Curriculum Writing ESL Certified in Texas Certified K-6 in Pennsylvania</p>