Megan B. Harbaugh

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OBJECTIVE: To continue my career as a Health & Physical Education teacher. I want to showcase my leadership abilities and too ensure a positive transfer of learning to my students. My goal is to dedicate my career to the development and encouragement of my passion for health and fitness, enhancing both the well-being of my students and directly impacting their academic success.

EDUCATION & CERTIFICATION:

West Chester University, West Chester, PA 19382

September 2005 – June 2010

- Bachelor of Health Science in Health and Physical Education (Cum Laude); Minor in Health Science
- Certified by State of Pennsylvania for teaching Health & Physical Education for Grades K-12
- CPR-Certified

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Ragsdale High School, Jamestown NC, 27265

August 2012 – Present

- Health & Physical Education Teacher
- Designed and taught curriculum for 9th Grade students
- Responsible for student athletes' grades and GPA
- Head Softball Coach
- Assistant Girls Basketball Coach
- Taught non-traditional sports: Golf, Speedball, Handball
- Created and coached a Powder Puff Girls' Football Game fundraiser, raising \$800
- Conducted camps for 7th and 8th Grade students for working on fundamental physical education skills

Student Teaching:

Whitemarsh Elementary School, Plymouth Meeting, PA 19462

September – November 2009

- Organized age appropriate sporting events, focusing on students' learning of strategy and teamwork
- Discussed the dangers of violence, peer pressure, and the importance of health and hygiene
- Identified children's gross motor skills and special needs
- Constructed curriculums geared to specific age groups and ability levels
- Encouraged students to make activity and wellness an enjoyable part of daily life

Plymouth Whitemarsh High School, Plymouth Meeting, PA 19462

November – December 2009

- Developed innovated curriculum to instruct individual students, small groups or classes
- Promoted sportsmanship, teamwork, and motivating students to welcome physical fitness participation
- Created atmosphere of participation while maintaining discipline and safety standards

West Chester University Softball

2005-2010

- First Team All-Conference 2009-2010
- Leadership Award 2009, 2010
- Captain of Softball Team 2009, 2010
- Second Team All-Conference 2007-2009
- Second Team All-Region 2007-2009

Other:

- Assistant Softball Coach at Gwynedd-Mercy College 2010-2012
- Interviewed by Fox News on "Sports and Scholastic Achievement." April 2010
- Hatboro Horsham Basketball Camps 2005 2012
- West Chester University Softball Camps 2005 2012