Sean Jones

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EDUCATION

Elizabethtown College, Elizabethtown, PA August 2012-May 2016 Bachelor of Secondary Social Studies Education. Minor in History. Overall GPA: 3.11/4.0

OBJECTIVE

The career goal's I want to obtain is to become either a middle or a high school social studies teacher and become a high school baseball coach.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Senior Year

Student Teaching: 11th Grade

January – May 2016

- Developed differentiated instruction techniques and modified exams to assist students with IEP's in a general education classroom setting.
- Utilized heterogeneous groupings for review of content as a means of informal assessment prior to weekly and unit tests.
- Encouraged student engagement through analysis of educational films and documents for bias or biases of the authors or filmmakers.

Senior Level Methods Field Experience: 7th Grade Manheim Township Middle School

September - December 2015

- Developed clear lesson plans and the ability to adapt lessons or questions to assist students in understanding the material.
- Immersed myself in the community of the school district by the professional responsibilities of being a teacher, which extend beyond the classroom by assisting with after school activities, responding to parents concerns, and collaborating with other colleagues to help students learn in the best way possible.
- Improved my ability to effectively plan and execute a lesson and adjust my lesson to accommodate various student needs.

ELL Field Experience: 8th Grade Conestoga Valley Middle School

September - November 2015

- Observed three eighth grade science classes. Each of the classes had an ELL student.
- Assisted ELL students with work as well as observing how the ELL students worked in a native English-speaking classroom.
- Gained understanding about the difficulties ELL students face in a regular classroom and the difficulties general education teachers face when tasked to teach ELL's the same material as native speakers.

Sophomore Year: 7th Grade Special Education Experience Lower Dauphin Middle School

September - November 2013

- Observed three classes two of which were special education language arts classes and assisted students in their work while leading small discussions with teacher supervision.
- Assisted four students with learning disabilities in an inclusion 7th grade social studies course which taught the importance of patience when helping a student with a learning disability.
- Gained experience working with a real IEP and the preparation it takes to create one
- Observed the amount of time and energy needed to be a successful teacher.

First Year Field Placement Rotations (Pre-K through 11th Grade)

- Observed in a range of grade level classrooms, which formed a foundation of pedagogical practices and shaped my initial my philosophy in effective management's techniques in a classroom.
- Expanded my knowledge of adolescent physical, cognitive, and social emotional development by observing teacher to student and student to teacher interactions.

RELATED EXPERIENCE

Baseball Coach 2008- Present

• Learned how to make a child successful in a given area of the sport.

• Developed new ways of teaching skills that related to a particular player being coached.

Baseball coach/Camp counselor	2012- Present
Data Entry Vanguard Dealer Service	2013- 2014
Gained professional experience	

ACTIVITIES

Elizabethtown College Baseball, 2012- 2016

Member

AWARDS AND HONORS

Athlete of the Week Elizabethtown College March 2013

Dean's List Elizabethtown College Fall Semester 2016