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Objective: To obtain a teaching position in elementary education.

Education

B.S Ed. Kutztown University of Pennsylvania, Kutztown PA May 2013
Major: **Elementary PreK-4 Education**
GPA: 3.84

West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV August 2009-May 2010
Major: **Elementary Education**
GPA: 3.45

Related Experience

Substitute Teacher, Norristown Area School District May 2013-present
Student Teaching, Patricia A. Guth Elementary March 2013-present
Perkasie, PA

- Assisted cooperating teacher in everyday activities.
- Taught subject areas including reading, science, math, and computer.
- Created many teacher made materials for science unit on animals

Student Teaching, Cole Manor Elementary January 2013- March 2013
Norristown, PA

- Worked with a peer to create a science unit on fabric students
- Taught subject areas including social studies, science, math, writing, and reading
- Used SMART notebook software to create engaging lessons for students

Professional Semester, Green Valley Elementary School Spring 2012
Sinking Spring, PA

- Assisted cooperating teacher in everyday activities
- Created and implemented an interdisciplinary science lesson on plants.
- Used technology to engage students in a social studies lesson on the Titanic

Upward Basketball Coach December 2012- March 2013

- Instructed 3rd and 4th grade boys on proper basketball techniques.
- Taught qualities, such as responsibility, relevant to life using bible stories.

Professional Semester, Green Valley Elementary Spring 2012

- Created lesson plans, provided instruction and supported classroom management for 3rd grade students
- Graded papers and assisted cooperating teacher in everyday activities

Assistant Group Supervisor, Beautiful Beginnings, Wayne, PA August 2010-Present

- Instructed 2 year-old children in basic reading and math readiness skills using various modalities
- Assessed children's behavior and instructed them on age appropriate behaviors
- Created educational activities and engaging bulletin boards for the classroom

Childcare Provider 2007-Present

- Worked with many children and families ages 16 weeks-13 years
- Assisted children with homework
- Read aloud with children

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Work Experience

- Team Leader*, Chick-fil-a, Audubon, PA January 2013 – Present
- Managed team members in fulfilling tasks to execute operations efficiently.
- Team Member*, Chick-fil-a, Audubon, PA November 2008-December 2012
- Worked with coworkers to provide an optimal experience for customers

Awards/Honors

- APSCUF Scholarship 2012
- Faculty Excellence for Undergraduate Academic Excellence Spring 2011
- Dean's List 2010-2013
- Blue/Gold Scholarship 2009/2010

Professional Development

- Attended School Safety Forum 2013
- Expanded Expression Writing In-service 2013
- Academic Plan In-service 2013
- Attended Children's Literature Conference 2012 & 2013
- iLead Conference 2012
- In-Service Exploring Developmentally Appropriate Practices 2012
- In-Service Building Meaningful Curriculum Based on Observation 2012
- Keystone State Reading Conference 2011

Campus Involvement:

- Kappa Delta Pi(National Honor Society in Education) 2011-2013
- Treasurer 2012-2013
- Student Pennsylvania State Education Association (SPSEA) 2012-2013
- Habitat for Humanity
- Treasurer 2010-2011
 - President 2011-2012
- Women's Lacrosse Club 2010-2012
- Campus Crusade for Christ 2009-2010
- Fieldcrest Bible Study 2009-2010
- Mountaineer Maniacs 2009-2010

Volunteer Experience:

- Fairview Village Church of the Nazarene, Fairview Village PA
- Vacation Bible School and Sunday School Teacher 2008-2011
- Taught children ages 5-9 bible verses
 - Assisted with crafts and games
- Volunteer at Fairview Village Church of the Nazarene, Fairview Village PA 2006-2011

References:

Available upon request