

Brittany Miller

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**Elementary Education Certified K-6
Special Education K-8**

Dedicated and student-focused teaching professional who is committed to providing a well-balanced, supportive, and engaging learning environment for all students. Aptitude to remain flexible, ensuring that every child's learning style and abilities are addressed. I am a hardworking and trusted educator who strives to collaborate with all members of the school community to meet the needs of students and promote the philosophy of the school.

EDUCATION AND CREDENTIALS

Bachelors of Science in Education (2012); Major: Elementary Education
Special Education K-8 Certification (2016)
West Chester University, West Chester, PA – Dean's List; graduated cum laude

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Foundations Behavioral Health: Autistic Support Teacher

08/2016-present

2016-present: I am currently an autistic support teacher of seven students that vary in age from 18-21. All of them have several diagnoses ranging from autism, emotionally disturbed, obsession compulsion disorder, ADHD, ADD, traumatic brain injury, and schizophrenia. I have provided direct, whole group, and individual instruction to all the students as described in IEP's. I have written, implemented and monitored progress of IEP's, including behavior goals. I have also worked closely with the speech and language pathologist, the occupational therapist, and the behavior analyst to ensure that my students are successful in the classroom. Community based instruction is also something that I have incorporated in my weekly schedule.

North Penn School District: Special Education Assistant

08/2013-08/2016

2014-2015: Working as a 1:1 for a kindergarten autistic boy. I also work very closely with two other extremely low functioning autistic kindergarten boys in both the regular education classroom and the autistic support classroom. My duties include collecting data, monitoring behaviors, assisting the student as needed, and assisting the kindergarten and autistic support teacher as needed.

2013-2014: Assigned as a Special Education Assistant and I assist in a Food Science classroom with multiple students with IEP's and some students that are ESL. I also assist in a Read 180 classroom where I read with students and monitor their reading comprehension and practice fluency. Lastly, I work with a student who goes to North Montco Technical Career Center and is visually impaired. The student works with small engines and I assist him in anything that he may need help with.

**Methacton, North Penn, & Pennridge School Districts
Substitute Teaching**

09/2012-06/2013

Have substituted in a variety of classrooms from regular elementary, learning support, gifted, life skills, and one-on-one with several different elementary age children. I have also filled in for art and music teachers at the elementary level. I have also been placed on several schools preferred substitute lists as well as on teachers personal substitute list.

Deibler Elementary School- Perkasi, PA

1/2012-5/2012

Student Teacher

Assumed all teaching responsibilities under the leadership of classroom teacher. Helped design and facilitate weekly lesson plans and activities in math, reading, and language arts subject areas for 5th grade class of 29 students. Managed students by establishing an appropriate climate and earning respect through effective leadership techniques.

Maintained effective communications with all staff in the building.

- Utilized various teaching strategies that encouraged student participation.

Penrose Elementary School- Philadelphia, PA Field Experience

9/2011-12/2011

Gained valuable experience through observing a variety of teaching techniques and implemented several reading and writing lesson plans for a kindergarten class of 28.

Able to serve a classroom aide and provided one-on-one teaching with students who needed extra practice with leveled readers. Also administered DRA's to these students.

Upper Darby Kindergarten Center- Upper Darby, PA Field Experience

1/2010-5/2010

Observed a variety of teaching techniques with a kindergarten class of 25. Taught several small guided reading groups and planned and presented interactive and stimulating lessons. Also observed several DIBELS tests being administered.

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Kindercare Learning Center, Kindergarten Assistant, Lansdale, PA, 2007-2009

Children of America Day Care Center, School-Age Classroom Assistant, Lansdale, PA, 2009-2010

Private Child Care Provider, Glen Mills, PA, 2010-2011

Private Child Care Provider, Telford, PA, 2011-2012

Private Tutor, Perkasie, PA, 2011-Present

Substitute Teacher Service, Substitute Teacher 09/2012-06/2013

Pennridge School District, District Substitute 11/2012- 06/2013

North Penn School District, Substitute Teacher 11/2012-06/2013

References

References are available upon request.