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Objective

As an experienced teacher, I wish to obtain a teaching position where I can utilize the multidisciplinary skills I have acquired to help students achieve to the best of their abilities.

Certifications

Pennsylvania Level II Social Studies 7-12
Pennsylvania Level II Library Media Specialist K-12
Pennsylvania Level II English 7-12
Pennsylvania Level II Special Education 7-12 (Pending in TIMS)

Experience

Librarian, Middle and High School, 2014-Present

Wilksburg School District, Wilksburg, PA

- Maintain and expand the library collection.
- Organize and run book fairs and other fundraisers.
- Teach Library Science classes.
- Aid students and teachers with research and research methods.
- See to day to day operations of the library.
- Active Department Head.

Social Studies Teacher, Middle School, 2007 - Present

Wilksburg School District, Wilksburg, PA

- Taught American History at the 8th grade level.
- Taught African American History to 7th and 8th grade.
- Taught Sociology to 11th/12th grade students.
- Created and taught engaging lessons.
- Assessed student progress throughout the year.
- Attended to all classroom record keeping.
- Organized and oversaw fundraising for field trips.
- Conducted individual student and parent conferences.
- Contributed to extracurricular activities.
- Department Head 2011 – 2012.

Tutor for 21st Century Summer Program, 2014 – Present

- Monitor and aid students during classes.
- Lead and plan sessions.
- Monitor and aid students during field trips.

Head Teacher 2005 – 2007

Holy Family Institute, Turtle Creek, PA

- Taught Math, Reading, English, Vocabulary and Social Studies to emotional/behavioral support and MR students grades 9-11.
- Developed student IEPs.
- Attended IEP meetings.
- Assessed student academic and IEP goal progress throughout the year.
- Attended to all classroom record keeping.
- Kept records on and implemented behavior modification plans.
- Differentiated instruction for all students.

Relevant Interests

- Marching Band, Concert Band.
- Yearbook sponsor for 2014-2015 Wilkinsburg High School Yearbook.
- I welcome the opportunity to coach any sport, especially swimming.
- I also enjoy organizing field trips relevant to the curriculum.

Education

B.A., Secondary Education – Social Studies, 2000
Slippery Rock University, Slippery Rock, PA

B.S., History, 2000
Slippery Rock University, Slippery Rock, PA

36 Credits earned towards Masters in History
Slippery Rock University, Slippery Rock, PA

M. Ed., Special Education 7-12, 2015
California University of PA, California, PA