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TEACHING CERTIFICATIONS

- 1) Music Education: Pennsylvania K-12 Certification
- 2) Business, Computers & Info Technology: Pennsylvania K-12 Certification
- 3) Technology Education: Pennsylvania K-12 Certification

EDUCATION, LIFE SKILLS, AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Immaculata University, Immaculata, PA

Instructional Certification Program (Graduate Education Program)

Teaching Certification

• GPA 3.93

Eastern University, St. Davids, PA

Bachelor of Arts with a concentration in Music & Vocal Performance

Received 2005

GPA 3.4 – Dean's List – Fall 2002

United States Navy: USS Saratoga (CV-60) Mayport and NAS Jacksonville, FL

- 4.0 Evaluations, Received Good Conduct Award & Honorable Discharge.
- Disc Jockey for the Armed Forces Radio & Television Network: WSAR FM-100.
- Dual duties: Firefighter/Trainer & Supply Storekeeper (Petty Officer 3rd Class).

E-Link: College Transcripts

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Neshaminy School District, Langhorne, PA

Music & Technology Education

Aug 2015 – Present Aug 2013 – June 2014

- General Music/Assistant Chorus Director; grades 5 through 8. Develop, implement, and assess instrumental and GarageBand computer based lessons
- SeaPerch, Robotics, Woodworking, CO Dragster Production, Technology Construction
- Maintain grades through eSchool PLUS, create & maintain teacher webpage

Norristown Area School District, Norristown, PA

March 2015 – June 2015

Business Computer and Information Technology Teacher (LTS)

- Rebuild, create and develop curriculum maps and lessons for grades 5 through 8
- Implement, and assess lessons for: Microsoft Office, hardware and software components, Typing, and *PixIr* picture editing program
- SeaPerch Robotics Instruction
- Maintain grades through eSchool PLUS

Exeter School District, Reading, PA

Aug 2014 – Feb 2015

Business Computer and Information Technology Teacher (LTS)

- Develop, implement, and assess lessons for: Google Drive, Microsoft Office, hardware and software instruction, Typing, and *PixIr* picture editing program
- Teacher for the *Olweus* Bullying Prevention Program
- Maintain grades through Skyward Educator Access, create & maintain teacher webpage

Lower Merion School District, Lower Merion, PA

April 2013 - June 2013

Per Diem Substitute/Guest Teacher

• Implemented lesson plans for multiple content area assignments and grade levels

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STUDENT TEACHING AND OBSERVATION

Welsh Valley Middle School, Lower Merion, PA Student Teaching

Jan 2013 – April 2013

- Music Technology A/V Lab Teacher: 20 student workstations with MacBooks, MIDI/USB interface digital piano keyboards, music editing software, Korg Soundtree Unit.
- Conducted middle school concert band, private instrument lessons.

Upper Merion Middle School, King of Prussia, PA

Nov 2012

ESL Classroom Observation (for personal development & CLD533 Instructional Needs of ELLs)

Observed and assisted with delivery of various components of ESL/ELL instruction.

Upper Merion Middle School, King of Prussia, PA

Oct 2010 - June 2011

Voluntary Classroom Observations (personal development & exploration)

- Technical Education/Industrial Arts: Performed voluntary classroom observation in two separate classrooms under the direction of Matt Cullen & Tom Bueche on a weekly basis (approximately six to nine hours weekly).
- Observed various components of instruction including (but not limited to): Robots, Engineering, Woodworking, Electronics and Electrical Distribution, etc.
- Assisted teacher in classroom and group assignments, lesson development, and formative assessments.

Central Montgomery County Area Vocational Technical High School, Norristown, PA *Exam proctor and paid substitute teacher for Electronics Servicing & Technology course*

• Substitute teacher & exam proctor, (2003 – 2006, electronics program discontinued).

TEACHER EVALUATIONS

(Click the E-Link in blue for hyperlinks to PA-ETEP Evaluations)

Ray Sweeney PA ETEP Evaluation 11/21/2013

Ray Sweeney PA ETEP Evaluation 01/02/2014

Ray Sweeney PA ETEP Evaluation 01/02/2014

Ray Sweeney PA ETEP Evaluation 06/11/2014

RELATED EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Sweeney Electronics Services, King of Prussia, PA

- Self-employed founder/owner of a consumer electronics and pro-audio repair facility.
- Develops and maintains business intranet and web-server, trains employees.
- Factory authorized representative for over twenty technology based manufacturers.

HIGHLIGHTS, CAMPUS ENGAGEMENT, AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Experience in construction, manufacturing, energy and power, information technology, seeks additional knowledge in related STEM instructional areas.
- Committed to continuing self-education and development by attending graduate school and various manufacturer sponsored seminars and schools.
- Graduate student advisor & advisor to the dean for Immaculata University (2011/13).
- Accomplished musician, vocalist, and composer who regularly volunteers on the church music team. Is highly familiar with audio/video production and sound engineering.

REFERENCES

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