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Objectives

Obtain a position as a Special Education Teacher that will utilize my strong dedication to children’s development and to their educational needs.

Experience

Special Education Teacher

▪ October 2008 - Present

Silver Springs Martin Luther School ▪ 512 West Township Line Road Plymouth Meeting, Pa. 19462

* Develop weekly lesson plans that contain all of the required components.
* Provide differentiated instruction based on the student’s individual level of functioning and preferred learning modalities.
* Provide a positive role model of appropriate and respectful interactions with students and staff.
* Develop, teach, and review clear and concise classroom rules, routines, procedures and expectations.
* Follow the strategies and requirements outlined in the Effective behavior Support model, Non-Violent Crisis Intervention Trainings and Behavioral Support Policy.
* Administer appropriate and required informal and formal assessments based on student needs and state regulations.
* Use daily, weekly, semi-annual, and annual formal and informal assessment and progress monitoring data as well as the PA Academic State Standards to develop appropriate goals and objectives for the students.
* Work in conjunction with the IEP Team to determine related services and develop specially designed instruction for the student and then incorporate these into the instructional program.
* Develop and implement each student’s IEP and Behavioral Intervention Plan.

Special Education Teacher

* ▪ October 2002 – October 2008

Melmark, Inc. ▪ 2600 Wayland Road Berwyn, Pa. 19312

* Assess and record student’s needs and progress.
* Help students to cope with and overcome problems that arise because of impairments or learning difficulties.
* Develop and foster the appropriate skills and social abilities to enable the optimum development of students.
* Encourage students to develop self-confidence and independence, and to reach their potential.
* Set specific, time-related targets for each student and liaising with parents and education professionals.
* Work with other professionals such as psychologists and speech and language therapists.
* Adapt National Curriculum and conventional teaching methods to meet individual needs.
* Use audio-visual materials and computers to stimulate interest and learning.
* Develop and implementing each student’s IEP and Behavioral Intervention Plan.

Skills

* Foster learning strengths in group work, social interaction, character building, and problem solving skills.
* Energetic, organized, positive, and self-motivated with the ability to speak and write effectively.
* Unique ability to adapt quickly to challenges and changing environments.
* Personable, articulate, professional, compassionate, and positive toward achieving curriculum goals.
* Experience with developing thematic units, literacy and math skills, and student/staff rapport.
* Supporter of offering hands-on and cooperative environments within the classroom such as learning stations.
* Use learning Based Centers Approach for Special Needs Children.
* IEP development and implementation.
* Effective Classroom Management.

Education

Delaware County Community College

2002 ▪ Associate of Science in Early Childhood Education

Cabrini College

2008 ▪ Bachelor of Science in Elementary/Special Education

Cabrini College

2011 ▪ Master of Education

State Certifications

* Instructional I Certificate Elementary Education (K-6) Pennsylvania 10/01/2008
* Instructional I Certificate Special Education (PK-12) Pennsylvania 10/01/2008
* Instructional II Certificate Elementary Education (K-6) Pennsylvania 10/01/2014
* Instructional II Certificate Special Education (PK-12) Pennsylvania 10/01/2014

References

Patricia Oliff Special Education Consultant (215)699-4786

1412 Florence Drive Gywnedd Valley, Pa. 19437

Kaitlyn Clark Teacher (610)955-4464

1513 James Road Wynnewood, Pa. 19096

Adrienne Pennell Behavior Specialist (215)527-3027

Renee Madden Teacher Assistant (267)297-7325 (H)

Independence Avenue Philadelphia, Pa. 19138 (215)475-7443 (M)