Tracy S. Reichl

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**Elementary School Teacher –Grade K- 6, ESL Program Specialist**

**Profile**

* **Dedicated, passionate, and energetic teaching professional**
* **10 year of experience helping students of varying ages, languages and learning styles reach their maximum potential**
* **Implements fun, creative, innovative, student-centered teaching methods which appeal to student’s interests, inspire participation and creates a lifelong love of learning**
* **Provides a warm, encouraging and positive learning environment which instills confidence and self-esteem in each child**
* **Reinforcing positive behaviors by praising efforts and celebrating accomplishments**

**Areas of expertise include the following:**

* **Differentiate Instruction**
* **Guided Reading**
* **Literature Circle**
* **Technology Integration \* Technology Integration**
* **Use of Manipulatives**
* **ESL Lesson Planning**
* **Parent -Teacher Conferences**
* **Classroom Management**

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| **Summary of Experience** |

* Provide direct instruction to assigned students while modeling effective strategies in Reading and Math
* Evaluate the progress of students while generating anecdotal records
* Develop and implement effective lesson plans to 18 first grade students which consisted of general, ESL, and special education students
* Collaborate and communicate regularly with parents and teachers to enable optimum development in students
* Organize and create learning centers to encourage a positive learning environment
* Creating and maintaining the school parent -volunteer committee
* Organizing and taking part in school events
* Staying up to date with changes in the curriculum
* Responsible for taking and distributing notes taking during principal and teachers weekly meetings

**Parkland School District: Teacher’s Aide 2015-Present**

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| **Professional Experience** |

*Ironton Elementary School*

**Parkland School District: Substitute Teacher 2014-2015**

**Parkland School District: Title-1 Assistant 2010-2014**

*Jaindl Elementary School*

**Manarah Islamic Academy 2008-2010**

*First Grade Teacher*

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| **Education** |

**Program Specialist ESL** 2011

* Cedar Crest College –Allentown PA
* 3.75 GPA

**Bachelor of Science, Elementary Education** 2007

* West Chester University of Pennsylvania
* 3.4 GPA
* Member of Kappa Delta Pi an Elementary Education Honors Society
* Fall 2006- Spring 2007 Deans List
* Worked with children throughout college to finance 100% of educational expenses

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| **Additional Skills** |

* Proficient in Microsoft Word, Excel, Access, PowerPoint, Smart Board, Mimio and I pad
* CPR and First Aid Certified
* Strong leadership, communication and organizational skills
* Experience with students in a whole group, small group and one on one settings

***References available upon request***