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Jacqueline Murphy

**Education**

St. Joseph’s University Philadelphia, Pa

Master of Science

Major: Special Education

Graduation date: Jan. 2016

G.P.A: 3.72

Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania Bloomsburg, Pa

Bachelor of Science

Major: Elementary Education

Degree Received: December 15, 2010

G.P.A: 4.00

LehighCarbon Community College Schnecksville, Pa Associate in Arts

Major: Education

Degree Received: December 2008

G.P.A: 3.77

Lehigh Carbon Community College Schnecksville, Pa

Associate in Applied Science

Major: Physical Therapist Assistant

Degree Received: May 1996

G.P.A: 3.67

**Teaching Experience**

**Special Education Student Teaching** –Life Skills Oct. 2015 – Nov. 2015

Panther Valley Elementary School

Mrs. Juliette Bonser

* Implemented functional curriculum
* Modified curriculum based on students level of need
* Utilized behavioral strategies to manage behavioral issues
* Provided accommodations and modifications as needed

**Substitute Teacher** Jan. 2011 – Apr. 2012

Tamaqua Area and Panther Valley

**Student Teaching** – First Grade Oct. 25 – Dec. 15, 2010

Panther Valley Elementary School

Mrs. Wozniak

* Prepared lessons that meet objectives and state standards.
* Teacher’s manuals provided the guideline for teaching math and reading, but other activities were pulled in to suit the students’ needs and to make material more interesting and meaningful.
* Developed thematic unit on dinosaurs around major instructional goals.
* Taught daily, small group RtII program.
* Implemented phonics instruction with small groups.
* Using creativity and skills to prepare learning materials, making sure the lessons were aligned to big ideas and state standards.
* Monitoring and reporting on children's development and identifying those with possible learning difficulties, consulting with teachers and other professionals where appropriate.
* Dealt fairly and effectively with any problem situations that may arise

**Student Teaching** - First Grade Aug. 31 - Oct. 22, 2010

Panther Valley Elementary School

Mrs. Buchman

* Prepared lessons that meet objectives and state standards.
* Teacher’s manuals provided the guideline for teaching math and reading, but other activities were added to suit the students’ needs and to make material more interesting and authentic.
* Instructed daily, small group RtII program.
* Implemented phonics instruction with small, guided reading groups.
* Using creativity and skills to prepare daily lesson plans.
* Dealing fairly and effectively with problem situations that arose.
* Implemented a positive behavioral program, which promoted student responsibility, problem solving skills, and student accountability.

**Practicum** (150 hours) Jan. 26 - May 3, 2010

Arthur Street School and Arthur Street Annex - Hazleton Area School District

Step by Step RtII Tutor Practicum

* I received training from Step by Step Learning instructors at Hazleton Area School District.
* In the Step by Step Learning program, I had the opportunity to work with eight teachers in grades kindergarten through second grade doing small group RtII instruction.
* I worked with 1-6 students in small group interventions using an instructional modeling tool kit to ensure all students succeed in reading.

**Volunteer Work** (20 hours) – Second Grade Mar. 11 – May 20, 2009

Rush Elementary School

Mrs. Herring - Teacher

* Volunteered in second grade science class

**other Work Experience**

Rehabcare Tamaqua, PA July 2011-present

Physical Therapist Assistant

* Responsible for administering physical therapy treatments to patients in a nursing and rehabilitation center.
* Liable for following HIPPA privacy laws in regards to patient’s confidentiality

Pottsville Area Physical Therapy Services Pottsville, PA 1998-July 2010

Physical Therapist Assistant

* Responsible for administering physical therapy treatments to patients in an outpatient orthopedic facility
* In charge of ordering supplies for facility
* Accountable for maintaining physical therapists schedules and scheduling patients
* Liable for following HIPPA privacy laws in regards to patient’s confidentiality

Bryn Mawr Hospital Bryn Mawr, PA 1996-1998

Physical Therapist Assistant

* Responsible for administering physical therapy treatments to patients in a hospital setting
* Accountable for writing and maintaining accurate patient records applying to physical therapy treatments and maintaining HIPPA privacy laws

**Awards**

* Delta Kappa Gamma Xi Chapter Scholarship - 09/2008
* Charlotte Hess Memorial Scholarship – 07/30/2010
* Morgan Trust Scholarship – Fall 2010

**Professional Goals**

* I am committed to being the best teacher I can be.
* I believe in reflecting daily on my performances.
* I have excellent communication skills and the ability to establish good working relationships with others.
* I will be a positive influence on my students.

**References**

Mrs. Juliette Bonser, Life Skills Support Teacher, Panther Valley Elementary School,

1 North Mermon Avenue, Nesquehoning, PA 18240. 570-669-9411

Mrs. Diane Buchman, First Grade Teacher, Panther Valley Elementary School,

1 North Mermon Avenue, Nesquehoning, PA 18240. 570-669-9411

Mrs. Sandy Koch, Retired Title I Math and Reading Teacher, 100 Maple Terrace, Nesquehoning, PA 18240. 570-751-8994