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| **EDUCATION** |  |
| **West Chester University of Pennsylvania**, West Chester, PA  Bachelors of Arts in Early Grades Preparation, Graduation May 2013   * GPA: 3.6   **Certification:**  PA PreK–4 Teaching Certificate: In-State Instructional I   * PPID: 5173479 | Jan. 2012- May 2013 |
| **University of Houston**, Houston, TX | Aug. 2010- Dec. 2011 |
| **Texas Central College**, Killeen, TX  Associates Degree in General Studies, December 2009 | May 2007- Dec 2009 |
| **San Jacinto College**, Pasadena, TX | June 2004- May 2006 |
| **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**  **New Garden Elementary School,** Kennett Square, PA  Student Teaching, Grade 2,   * Assumed all classroom responsibilities * Designed and implemented a standards-based curriculum with lesson plans, instruction, and assessment aligning with Pennsylvania standards and the Common Core Standards * Completed a semester-long study of one student that analyzed teaching & learning in order to inform my teaching practices and enhance achievement for all students. * Used SMART Board extensively to support teaching and learning | Jan.- May 2013 |
| **New Garden Elementary School,** Kennett Square, PA  Reading Practicum, Grade 2   * Taught reading practicum strategies: DRTA, sorts * Case Report- * Tutored one ELL child who needed to improve with spelling and reading * Small group reading | Sep.- Dec. 2012 |

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| **Our Kids Academy,** Exton, PA   * Supervised children’s play time * Set up breakfast * Monitored children at recess for safety and behavior * Prepared and taught lessons for 5-year-old pre-school students | February - May 2012 |
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| **Bonner Elementary School**, Houston, TX  Field Experience   * Observation of 2nd Grade classroom   **Texas Central College Daycare**, Killeen, TX   * Set up breakfast and lunch * Worked on transition with 12 three-year-olds * Planned finger play, singing rhymes, and read aloud to students * Monitored nap time | February 2011  August 2009 |
| **WORK EXPERIENCE** |  |
| * Westtown Children’s Academy * Chester County Intermediate Unit (Substitute), Downingtown, PA * United States Army National Guard, Edgewood, MD | Aug. 2014 – present  Feb 2012- Present  Mar 2014- Jun 2014 |
| * Bath and Body Works, Exton, PA, Clerk | June 2012 – Jan 2013 |
| * United States Army National Guard, Houston, TX | June 2010 - Jan 2012 |
| * United States Army Active Duty, Fort Hood, TX | June 2006 - June 2010 |
| **HONORS** |  |
| * Outstanding Performance Achievement, West Chester University 2013 * Deans List, University of Houston 2011 * Deans List, Texas Central College 2009 |  |
| **COMPUTER** |  |
| Proficient in all Microsoft Programs and SMART Board |  |