

JULIA DOUGHERTY

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Professional Summary

Responsible elementary school teacher with excellent communication skills demonstrated by 9 years of teaching experience. Passion for education, especially science education for girls. Motivated, enthusiastic educator with a strong desire to foster a cohesive student learning atmosphere. Specialize in managing students effectively and maximizing learning opportunities in diverse classroom settings.

Qualifications

- Teaching, tutoring and counseling
- MA Education
- Effectively work with parents
- Motivating students
- Interactive teaching/learning
- Innovative lesson planning
- Classroom management
- Learning style assessment
- Performance assessments
- Creative lesson plan development

Experience

3rd Grade Teacher Westwood Elementary School	08/2009 to Current Seaside Heights, NJ
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Develop interesting course plans to meet academic, intellectual, and social needs of students.• Establish and enforce rules for behavior and procedures for maintaining order among a diverse class of students.• Coordinate after school tutoring hours with other teachers to help students in need of extra attention.• Applied progressive teaching principles to a class of 29 students, improving standardized tests scores by 17% in six-month period.• Received high remarks for the creativity of classroom lesson plans and instructional techniques from students, parents, and faculty.	
1st Grade Teacher Sweetbriar Elementary School	08/2004 to 05/2009 Seaside Heights, NJ
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Developed, administered, and corrected tests and quizzes in a timely manner.• Implemented interesting and interactive learning mediums to increase student understanding of course materials.• Routinely met with students' parents regarding in-class issues and learning interruptions to discuss solutions.• Performed student background reviews to develop tailored lessons based on student needs.• Combined discipline plan with effective measures and various lesson plans to increase concentration, participation, and progress student accountability.	

Education

Master of Science: Education Western Governor's University Concentration in Science	2004
Bachelor of Science: Education Western Governor's University Concentration in Science	2002

Certifications

New Jersey State Certified Teacher - Current

Affiliations

New Jersey Education Association - Member
American Federation of Teachers New Jersey, AFL-CIO - Member