

RESUME

Xinyu (Shelly) Zhang

Educational Studies M.A.

PROFILE

- One year of professional experience working with groups of children aged 1-5 years old
- Fluent in Mandarin Chinese and English, beginner French and Italian
- Excellent teamwork, organizational, and multi-tasking skills
- Intermediate proficiency in Adobe Illustrator, After Effects, Premiere Pro, Photoshop

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts, Business and Interactive Arts & Technology Joint Major, Education Minor

Simon Fraser University (SFU), Burnaby, BC, Canada

(Expected) Jun 2021

- Cumulative GPA: 3.46/4.33
- Dean's Honour Roll: 2018, 2019, 2020

Early Childhood Educator Certificate / Early Childhood Educator Assistant Certificate

Sprott Shaw College, Surrey College Campus, Surrey, BC, Canada

Aug 2018

WORK EXPERIENCE

Media Making and Marketing Assistant

HackHub (a WebDxD company), Vancouver, BC, Canada

Sep 2019 - Present

- Cut and edit 3- to 5-minute videos promoting the company's UI/UX and 3D modeling courses
- Build connections with the SFU Chinese Students and Scholars Association and local businesses

Substitute Teacher

CEFA New Westminster, Vancouver, BC, Canada

Sep 2018 - Present

- Teach lessons to classes of 12-16 children, 1-5 years old, aligned with the CEFA curriculum
- Host Circle Time once a day and assist teachers with organized science and art activities
- Design monthly newsletters and classroom display posters to update parents on children's progress

Early Childhood Educator Intern

CEFA New Westminster, Vancouver, BC, Canada

Aug 2018

Royal Child Care, Vancouver, BC, Canada

Jul 2018

Kids & Company New Westminster, Vancouver, BC, Canada

Jun 2018

- Planned and taught math, science, and arts activities for classes of 12-16 children, 1-5 years old
- Hosted daily Circle Time and supervised free play
- Observed classes and wrote reflections on teaching methodologies for practicum submission

Language Tutor and Cultural Connector

Joinki International Program, Trento, Italy

Apr 2017 - Aug 2017

- Taught children in classes of 20, grades 3-5, English language skills in 40-minute sessions
- Organized Chinese cultural events; taught students how to make Chinese folk art and dumplings
- Helped host mother (elementary science teacher) translate her science lessons to English and did activities in English with her three children, such as putting on Chinese shadow puppet shows

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Vice President of LIT Events

Simon Fraser University, Burnaby, BC, Canada

Oct 2017 - Present

- Teach choreography and create formations for live K-pop and C-pop dance cover performances
- Participate in, film, and edit dance covers for the club's official YouTube and Bilibili channels

Intercultural Engagement Assistant

Simon Fraser University, Burnaby, BC, Canada

Sep 2016 - Apr 2017

- Planned monthly festivals and events (i.e., Chinese tea culture presentation, movie night, speed dating, talent show) to foster cross-cultural understanding and promote global awareness