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OBJECTIVE

To obtain a full-time secondary English teaching position that allows me to pursue my passion of educating and communicating with students.

EDUCATION

West Chester University, West Chester, Pennsylvania
Bachelors of Science in Education May 2011
Major: English and Professional Secondary Education
GPA: 3.80

CERTIFICATION

Certified in the state of Pennsylvania in July 2011

EDUCATION RELATED EXPERIENCES

- Student Teacher** Downingtown West High School, Downingtown, Pennsylvania, January- April 2011
-Fully responsible for 100+ students from February to April 2011.
-Taught two tenth grade honors classes
-Taught three tenth grade level one classes, including students with individual educational plans
-Was responsible for attendance, disciplining, core teaching and updating grades.
-Created and taught unit and lesson plans for two different classes
- Field Experience** Unionville High School, Chadds Ford, Pennsylvania, October- December 2010
- Observed five ninth grade classes, level one and honors
- Assisted in editing research projects and reviewing grammar
- Helped cooperating teacher with attendance and lesson planning.
- Field Experience** West Chester High School, West Chester, Pennsylvania, September-October 2009
-Assisted several classes in writing and creative projects.
- Tutored students in all areas of writing at each grade level in "Writing Zones."
- Field Experience** Fred S. Engle Middle School, West Grove, Pennsylvania, January- May 2009
- Observed two seventh grade classes and one eighth grade class.
- Taught two lessons on literary devices.
- Helped cooperating teacher conduct PSSA review.
- Assisted students when they required help with seat work.
- Tutor** Fred S. Engle Middle School, West Grove, Pennsylvania, January-March 2009
-Participated in the VIP Study Island Program.
-Tutored individuals as well as groups in remedial PSSA course
- Therapeutic Support Staff Member** Malvern, Pennsylvania, December 2007-April 2008
-Responsible for Autistic teen during after-school hours.
-Responsible for conducting his program.
-Assisted in reinforcing daily life skills, motor skills, and communication methods.

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OTHER EXPERIENCES

Child Care- Allentown, Pennsylvania, December 2007-Present
-Provide for two children.
-Driving to and from school, theater, and appointments.
-Light housework and personal errands.

Employee/Clerk- PaintSome Pottery, Allentown, Pennsylvania, September 2006-December2008
-Responsible for upkeep of the store.
-Assisted customers in all aspects of painting.
-Responsible for register close-out and bank deposits.

ACTIVITIES

Volunteer for Pennsylvania for Onorato Campaign- West Chester, 2010
West Chester University Students for Obama- Organizer and Volunteer, 2008
West Chester University English Club- Vice President, 2008-2009 Treasurer, 2008

HONORS

Graduated Summa Cum Laude, West Chester University
Recipient of the Outstanding Senior Education Award in English, West Chester University, 2011
Nominated for the Viola Marple Award, West Chester University, 2010

COMPUTER SKILLS

Proficient in Windows; MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint, SmartBoard

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REFERENCES

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