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Elementary Education

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SUMMARY

Professional teacher candidate eager to start student teaching and applying classroom knowledge in a hands-on environment. I am committed to creating a safe and supportive learning environment where students feel valued and supported in success.

EDUCATION

Eastern Illinois University, Charleston IL

Bachelor of Science in Education

August 2021 - May 2025

Major: Elementary Education

Overall GPA: 3.35/4.0 Major GPA: 3.35/4.0

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Jefferson Elementary School, Charleston IL

Student Teacher (6th Grade)

Spring 2025 (January - current)

Jefferson Elementary School, Charleston IL

Practicum Teacher (6th Grade)

Fall 2024

- Assisted students and cooperating teacher in small groups.
- Collaborated with a cooperating teacher to create activities and lessons relating to student's current learning targets.
- Established good connections with students.
- Took over morning class if there was a substitute to teach, allowing the substitute to see what they needed to do in the afternoon with the other class.
- Completed a learning segment based on EdTPA.

North Ward Elementary School, Tuscola IL

Practicum Teacher (1st Grade)

Spring 2024

- Assisted students in small groups.
- Assisted cooperating teacher in classroom centers.
- Collaborated with a cooperating teacher to create activities and lessons relating to current classroom themes.
- Established good connections with students.

Charleston School District, Charleston IL

Observations

Spring 2022

- Learned classroom management strategies and teaching styles.
- Observed different methods of teaching and how students engage in activities and with each other.

EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Eastern Illinois University, Charleston IL

Service Assistant

On Campus Fall 2021 - Present

- Help students receive keys when moving in and moving out.
- Track items that are rented from the front desk and when they are returned.
- Log packages in and out for residents in the building and put mail in mailboxes.
- Provide lock-out keys if students lock themselves out of their room or lose their keys.

Oswegoland Park District, Oswego IL

Admissions & Concessions Manager

Summers 2022 - Summer 2024

- Interview and hire staff for the season.
- Train entire staff on admissions and concessions positions.
- Schedule staff shifts for the season and after-hours events.
- Pick out uniform colors and shirt types for staff.
- Clean and set up the admissions desk and concessions stand.
- Take and pick up inventory from district-approved companies and stores.
- Sign off on cash deposits at the end of the shifts.
- Communicated and arranged all parties held during operating hours.

Salsa Verde Restaurant, Yorkville & St. Charles IL

Cashier (Yorkville, IL)

September 2019 - September 2020

- Taking orders in the dining room and over the phone.
- Serving food to tables and cleaning up.
- Money handling and closing registers.
- Cleaning the dining room, dishes, and restocking at closing.

Supervisor (St. Charles, IL)

September 2020 - May 2022

- Taking orders in the dining room and over the phone.
- Serving food in the dining room and drive-thru, cleaning up, and restocking at closing.
- Closing registers and restocking change from the safe.
- In charge of totaling and keeping track of all catering orders and making sure they were made and if needed had delivery drivers.
- I was in charge of what station staff would be at during their shift and what closing procedures they needed to follow.

ORGANIZATION & ACTIVITIES

- Math Energy Member: Fall 2021 - Spring 2022
- Math Energy Member: Spring 2024 - Fall 2024
- Conference: ECE Literacy Workshop Spring 2024
- 30 Volunteer Hours

SKILLS

- **Technology Software:** Word, PowerPoint, Google Sheets, Google Docs, Google Sheets, Zoom, Canva, ViewSonic Board
- Good communication skills
- Ability to adapt to different classroom management strategies
- Empathy and patience with students
- Collaboration with others

References

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