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Licensure

Professional Educator Licenses (PEL), Expected June 2022

- Elementary Education (K - 6)
- LBS1, Special Education (K - 12)

Teaching Experience

February 2021 - Present

Harmony Community Cares, North Lawndale - *Director of In-Person Pod Learning*

- Organized and created safe, on-site learning space at Harmony Community Church
- Engaged with ten separate families to begin in-person learning during the pandemic
- Supervised and monitored remote-learning environment for students from grades 2-12
- Supported students with classwork, homework and technical issues during the school day
- Created educational and engaging activities for students to complete during break times

September 2020 - Present

Harmony Community Cares, North Lawndale - *Director of Online Tutoring Program*

- Hired and trained fifteen tutors to offer effective online instruction after school
- Assessed each student in reading to give tutors detailed lesson plans and tips for improving students' greatest area of need
- Communicated with families to ensure efficacy and student attendance
- Supported tutors with any student/family issues that arose
- Referred students suffering depression, grief, or trauma to social-emotional therapists

Summers 2018 - Present

Harmony Community Cares, North Lawndale - *Founder & Director of Intensive Summer Reading Program*

- Developed an eight-week intensive reading program based on Orton-Gillingham and adapted to individual students
- Hired tutors and conducted a two-week training course for six to ten tutors every summer
- Evaluated student reading ability while volunteering at Tuesday Night Tutoring at Harmony Community Church and recommended struggling students to the program
- Assessed every student in reading and created weekly and monthly goals; wrote bi-daily lesson plans for each student

June 2017 - Present

Private Tutor, Chicagoland Area

- Met once to four times a week with students all over the Chicagoland area from age 5-18 working on various areas of literacy and math; saw students' grades raise from C's to A's
- Created engaging lesson plans for students with varying disabilities, from ADHD to dyslexia that ensured attention and learning was maintained
- Worked with families to share strategies and ideas for continuing education in my absence
- Helped families decode and analyze students' IEPs before meetings

September 2014 - July 2016

Lindamood-Bell Learning Processes, Chicago - Consultant

- Created goals for students for duration of program; wrote daily lesson plans to ensure students met goals
- Met weekly with parents to discuss student progress
- Monitored student behavior and solved issues with creative behavior modifications

May 2013 - September 2014

Lindamood-Bell Learning Processes, Chicago - Clinician

- Implemented structured reading program for decoding and comprehension for many struggling readers
- Became fluent with the language and the process of learning to read

October 2012 - April 2013

CIEE / OEG, Anuban Maemoh, Thailand - English Teacher

- Designed engaging lesson plans to bolster English for grades 1, 3, 5, 7, and 9
- Effectively taught and controlled rooms of 40+ students who spoke only Thai

Education

August 2020 - Present

DePaul University - Working toward second Master of Education

August 2016 - May 2017

Harvard Graduate School of Education - Master of Education, Language and Literacy

August 2008 - May 2012

Denison University - Bachelor of Arts, English (Writing)