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Objective

To obtain employment within Metro Vancouver District as a Teacher Teaching on Call.

Student Teacher Practicum Experience

Robert L. Clemitson Elementary School, Kamloops

My long practicum student-teaching experience took place at Robert L. Clemitson Elementary. I successfully taught a classroom of grade two students.

Parkcrest Elementary School, Kamloops

My short practicum student-teaching experience took place at Parkcrest Elementary. I successfully taught a classroom of kindergarten students.

A.E. Perry Elementary School, Kamloops

My short practicum student-teaching experience took place at A.E. Perry Elementary. I successfully taught a classroom of grade four and five students.

Teaching-Related Experience

Aberdeen Hall Preparatory School, Kelowna

At Aberdeen Hall I worked as an after-school homework club coordinator. My duty was to monitor the students in a safe and educational environment from grades K-5. I worked with the students both as a group or individually if anyone needed assistance. After homework was complete, I conducted group activities for the students to participate in. This involved planning games where the students all participated together as a group, or playground activities that allowed the students to enjoy the outdoors and exercise while interacting with their classmates.

Aberdeen Hall Preparatory School, Kelowna

Experience in this setting involved volunteering for the after-school volleyball club. The volleyball club was an all-girls volleyball team for grades 4 and 5. My duties were to support the instructors with supervision, volleyball activities, and drills. My duties also included working with the group to teach the students the various rules of volleyball and the proper techniques involved with playing the sport.

Aberdeen Hall Preparatory School, Kelowna

Volunteer within this setting involved assisting four different teachers, multiple subjects, and different grades. My tasks consisted of observing the different teachers and their teaching styles. In addition to observation, my duties also included walking around the classroom and assisting students with any questions they have. Moreover, during certain activities I would also work one-on-one with students that required extra guidance with their work. This would include taking 1-4 students to a different classroom and working with them individually to better understand and complete their activities.

Ecole Aubrey Elementary School, Burnaby

Volunteer within this setting included helping the in-class supervisor by assisting them in providing one-on-one guidance with students who required extra help with their work. In addition, I spent time in the library reading books with multiple students and assisting students with written activities based on the books we read together, in order to better comprehend what we read.

Sept 2018 – Dec 2018

Oct 2018 – Nov 2018

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Oct 2021 – Oct 2021

Apr 2022 – Apr 2022

Jan 2023 – Mar 2023

Jan 2019



Montecito Elementary School, Burnaby

Oct 2019 – Jan 2020

In this setting, I worked with two different teachers. My tasks were to observe the teachers, their teaching styles, and how they adapted to fit their student's needs. In addition, I also observed how the teachers overcame certain challenges that arose in their classrooms. I also assisted the students if they needed guidance with their work. Moreover, I provided informal feedback for worksheets, activities, and assignments. In addition, I was able to take the lead on teaching a P.E lesson on volleyball and teamwork. Here, I also worked one-on-one with students who needed extra support during the lesson.

Education

Thompson Rivers University Teacher Education Program.	2021 – Present
Thompson Rivers University, Open Learning	2018 - 2020
University of British Columbia Okanagan Completion of a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Psychology with a Minor of Arts in	2017 – 2018 Sociology.
Douglas College	2014 - 2016
Completion of an Associates of Arts with specialization in Psychology.	
Langara College	2012 – 2014
Burnaby North Secondary School	2007 - 2012