Jessica Pulikonda

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Objective: To obtain a position as a teacher in the Michigan area.

Education:

Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan

Master's in Education, Special Education specialization June 2019-

21 graduate credits

Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan

Fifth Year Teacher Intern Program August, 2016 - May 2017

12 graduate credits - May 2017

Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan

Bachelor of Arts, May, 2016 Major: Elementary Education, ZG Teaching Major: Social Studies, RX

Certification: Michigan Elementary Provisional Certificate – May 2017

K-5 All subject areas, ZG Social Studies 6-8, RX

Teaching Experience:

Teacher, Riley Upper Elementary, Livonia, MI

6th grade

• responsible for ELA, mathematics, and social studies

- differentiated instruction for students, including students with ASD, LD, and FI.I.
- organized a school-wide Culture Festival and a bottle drive for the Flint Water Crisis

Teacher Intern, *Donelson Elementary*: Waterford, MI Kindergarten/First grade August 2016 – August 2017

- co-planned and co-taught all subjects fall semester
- managed class of 26 students, inclusive of Speech and Language Impaired, special education, ELL, and students with extreme behavioral challenges
- completely responsible for planning, implementing, and assessing instruction for Writers Workshop, Readers Workshop, mathematics, science, and social studies

Long Term Substitute Teacher, Kindergarten

Schoolcraft Elementary, Waterford, MI, May 1- May 31, 2017

- developed lessons for kindergarten curriculum
- · transitioned kindergarten students to a new teaching method

Substitute Teaching, EduStaff

East Lansing School District, Lansing School District, Lake Orion School District, Waterford School District, January 2016- present

Pattengill Middle School, Lansing, MI

September, 2015- April 2016, Grade Level: 6th

- observed lessons taught by mentor teacher
- taught lessons in social studies, science, mathematics, and English.

Pinecrest Elementary School, East Lansing, MI

January, 2016- April 2016, Grade Level: 3rd

- assessed student needs and provided differentiated reading instruction
- organized and executed small group reading instruction

Teaching-related Experience:

Tutor, Rochester, MI, 2012- present

- mentored students from grades 1-8
- · monitored student growth and provided instruction

Camp Quality Counselor, Fenton, MI

Summer 2015- present

- · worked with children with cancer
- helped campers with camp activities

Director of Children's Choir, St. Andrews, Rochester, MI 2010-2012

- directed a choir of 30 children, ages 4-14.
- created lessons to help students learn how to read music

Professional Development:

C3 Collaborative (Inquiry-Based Teaching), Tri-County PD, 2019-2020

Visible Thinking Strategies, Riley Upper Elementary 2019

Cultures of Thinking, Riley Upper Elementary 2018

Trauma and Toxic Stress, Donelson Hills Elementary, 2017 Leader in Me: Leadership Day, Grayson Elementary, 2017

Leader in Me Conference, Donelson Hills Elementary, Waterford, 2016

Starting Math Workshop 1-3, Waterford, 2016

Restorative Practices in the Classroom, Waterford, 2016

Legal Issues in Education Seminar, MSU Technology Conference, Detroit, 2016 Adult and Infant First Aid and CPR Training, Rochester Hills Fire House, 2016

Study Tour in Ireland, Michigan State University, May 2015 Study Tour in China, Michigan State University, May 2014

Technology:

Google Classroom, Microsoft Office, Smart Notebook, Mistar, Google Drive,

Prezi, Illuminate

Honors and Achievements:

Dean's List, Michigan State University, 2012-2016

Member of the Honors College, 2012-2016 Academic Achievement Scholarship 2015

Graduated with honors, 2016

Interests: Traveling, reading, music, culture, global education, volunteering

References

Kristyn Cousino Principal Riley Upper Elementary Lynn Carey Teaching Partner Riley Upper Elementary 15555 Henry Ruff Road

Sherri Mazzoni Assistant Principal Riley Upper Elementary Laura O'Boyle Mentor Teacher Donelson Hills Elementary