**Shelly Hunsanger**



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**Objective** To obtain a teaching position that gives the opportunity to provide a healthy, nurturing, spiritual,

and positive learning experience for all children.

**Education** Oakland University, Rochester, Michigan **April 2012**

Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education **GPA 3.88**

Oakland University, Rochester, Michigan **April 1987**

Bachelor of Arts, Communications and Business

**Work/Teaching**

**Experience**

**Somerset Early Childhood Center, Rochester, MI Sept – June 2014**

**Pre-Kindergarten Teacher**

* Taught and implemented Pre-K lessons in Literacy, Math, Science, Art, and Social Studies.
* Observed and assessed children using the Teaching Strategies-Gold program to meet the individual needs of the child.
* Prepared and implemented Fall/Spring teacher conferences.
* Created weekly newsletters to communicate with staff and parents.

**Meadow Brook Elementary, Rochester, MI Jan 2012–2013**

**Yearlong Student Teaching Internship/Substitute Teacher**

* Taught Reader’s Workshop using “Making Meaning” Café’ Strategies.
* Developed and implemented a morning routine that allowed students to interact with technology on the Smart Board.
* Taught Lucy Calkins Writer’s Workshop program on “Small Moment” and “How to” writing.
* Planned and implemented hands-on science experiments using FOSS Curriculum to incorporate engaging lessons on Friday rotations.
* Implemented Daily Centers and Lessons involving cooperative learning, language experience approach, hands-on experiences, and interdisciplinary teaching.
* Implemented lesson plans as a Substitute Teacher for grades K-5 and SE.

**Kindergarten field placement**  **Sept – Dec 2011**

* Planned and supervised a field trip to Dinosaur Hill Nature Center in Rochester to

encourage higher level thinking and hands-on learning experiences.

* Learned best practices in Language Arts and working in small group center activities.
* Taught an interactive Social Studies lesson on “Responsibility” using the Smart Board.

**Meadow Brook/Delta Kelly Elementary, Rochester, MI Sept 2008 – Dec 2011**

**Kindergarten Enrichment Program Teacher (K-Club)**

* Taught and prepared instruction in Reading, Writing, Math, Science, Art, Physical

Education, and Creative Movement.

* Created monthly parent newsletters and bulletin boards.
* Provided instruction to a student with special needs.

**Wass Elementary, Troy, MI Sept – Dec 2010**

**Kindergarten field placement**

* Implemented an interactive reading lesson on Thanksgiving.
* Provided instruction and support with Writer’s Workshop Lessons.
* Worked closely with a student with special needs to support Language Arts/Reading skills.

**Brewster Elementary, Rochester, MI Sept – Dec. 2009**

**Third grade placement.**

* Taught a Writing lesson on using descriptive adjectives.
* Implemented a follow-up Language Arts Lesson using Simile Writing.

**Whitman Elementary, Pontiac, MI May – June 2009**

**First grade placement.**

* Taught a Math lesson on graphing and adding three digit numbers.
* Worked closely with a diverse group of students in implementing educational games

for Carnival Day.

**McGregor Elementary, Rochester, MI Sept 2006-2008**

**Substitute Teacher K-Club and Assistant Pre-K Teacher**.

* Effectively managed classes up to 25 students.
* Creatively led and taught K-Club lesson plans in Literacy, Math, Art, and Creative

Movement.

* Worked closely with Pre-K and Kindergarten teachers to incorporate theme/phonetic

lessons.

**Utica Community Schools, Shelby, MI. Sept 2007 - 2008**

**Substitute Teacher - Harvey and Monfort Elementary**.

* Instructed Kindergarten students in Reading, Writing, Math, and Art Centers.
* Taught third grade students Math using educational multiplication games.

**Long Meadow /Meadowbrook Elementary, Rochester, MI. June -Aug 2007**

**Pre-K/Fifth grade Assistant Program Teacher- Summer Day Camp**

* Directed Pre-K and fifth grade students in Literacy, Math, Arts and Crafts.
* Coordinated Physical Fitness Activities, Educational Games, Swimming and Field trips.

**Volunteer Experience**

**Girls Scouts of America, University Hills Elementary, Rochester, MI Sept 2002-2006**

**Volunteer Co-Leader for grades 1-5.**

* Assisted in coordinating Girl Scout learning activities.
* Guided students on educational field trips and overnight camp trips.

**Faith Lutheran Church, Troy, MI.**

**Volunteer Assistant Teacher for VBS**. **July 2002-2006**

* Assisted in coordinating K-5 lessons in Religion, Reading, Music, Art, and Drama.
* Taught a VBS lesson on “kindness” to first graders.

**Nanny/Babysitter, Warren, MI**

* Provided a loving, caring, and nurturing environment for a seven month old baby.
* Prepared outdoor time with nature walks and reading activities.

**Nanny, Rochester Hills, MI**

* Provided a loving, caring, and nurturing environment for a 3 month old baby and 3 year old
* Prepared Arts and Crafts, outdoor time, Library outings, and reading/music activities.

**Philosophy:** I believe that children are the leaders of our future. While caring for and teaching, we should create a safe, nurturing, and engaging environment which enables children to believe in themselves, and empowers them to become confident life-long learners. I believe that impacting one child can change the lifetime of many others.