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# **Teaching Philosophy**

I will infuse my artistic skills, abilities, and knowledge in the appropriate pedagogical teaching practices so that a diverse range of students may achieve their maximum potential in learning.

#### Education

# **University of San Francisco**

- Degree: Masters in Teaching
- Credential: California State Teaching Multiple Credentials
  California State Teaching Single Credential: Science

### San Jose State University

• **Degree:** Bachelor of Arts in Child and Adolescent Development Minor in Mathematics for K-12 Teachers

# Field Teaching Experience

# Almond Elementary School, Los Altos, 5th grade

2010

- Student Teacher
  - o Established and transition students from morning recess into daily morning activities and daily corrections
  - Formulated creative lesson plans for subjects of mathematics, language arts, and science
  - o Reinforce classroom management
  - Attended and provided teaching feedback at school staff meeting and fifth grade team meetings
  - o Chaperoned for student to Chabot Space and Science fieldtrip
  - Formulated analysis of mathematic benchmark scores and recommended possible solutions to problems and known patterns
  - o Coordinate with fifth grade team and other teachers with unit lessons and academic teaching resources

#### Lakewood Elementary School, Sunnyvale, 1st Grade

2010

- Student Teacher
  - o Motivated post-kindergarten children to enter first grade
  - Designed a play-based learning project that utilized peer learning, art, utilizing the environment, movement, and realia objects.
  - o Cooperated with master teacher to teach simple phonics and phonetics patterns in speaking, writing, and spelling

## **Other Work Experiences**

# Tech Museum Summer Camp, San Jose

Summer 2008

- Assistant Instructor
  - Aiding the Lead Instructor in teaching Lego Robotics and Videogame Creation.
  - o Help maintain motivation for students in class as well as preparing games during breaks.
  - o Initiated discussions with parents on student's progress.
  - o Contributed to team planning on prevention on student misbehaviors.
  - o Interacting with children during breaks to establish respectful and trustful relationships.

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#### Juan Cabrillo Middle School, Santa Clara Feb 2007 - Jun 2008

- AVID Tutor
  - o Tutoring for Jamie Weston's AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination) students in various academic and life subjects.
  - Encouraged students to engage, inquire, and seek answers and solution from peers and resources beyond the instructor and tutor.
  - o Created personalize and executed art curriculum in addition to a Civil War lesson

# Valle Vista Elementary, San Jose

Oct 2007 - Dec 2007

- Practicum Volunteer
  - o For Ms. Laura Brown's Fifth Grade class I taught mini-lessons on mathematics and introduced literature and my personal college experience to the students.
  - o Worked in small groups for revisions of writing assignments

# Yun Yee Tong Chow Gar Kung Fu, San Jose Sep 1997 – Jun 2008

- Lead Senior Instructor
  - o Engaged children with the philosophy of martial arts through kinesthetic, cognitive, and spiritual enlightenment methods.
  - o Infused in the students a sense of respect for the martial arts and to others.
  - o Constructed new activities and exercises to motivate children new to the sport of martial arts.
  - o Worked with fellow instructors to teach children based on various skill levels.

## **Professional Qualifications**

- Adult and Child CPR/AED with Infant CPR Certified
  - o Valid until November 20, 2011
- Teaching Performance Assessment (CalTPA) Qualified
  - o Passed in 2010