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Education

Manchester College, North Manchester, Indiana
Bachelor of Science Degree in Health and Physical Education, May 2012
G.P.A.: Cumulative 3.2 (scale 4.0)

Honors

2011 Indiana Retired Teachers Association Scholarship Recipient
Manchester College Trustee Scholarship Recipient
Dean's List Fall 2009 and Fall 2010
Most Outstanding Physical Education Student Award McCutcheon High School 2008

Related Experience

- January 2012-Present **Health/Physical Education Student Teacher**
Indian Springs Middle School/Albion and Wolf Lake Elementary
- * Created and taught lesson plans, block plans, and unit plans that met Indiana educational standards for the subjects of health and physical education
 - * Evaluated and assessed student performance through the Presidential Fitness Challenge Testing (shuttle run, sit-ups, push-ups, distance run, and sit-and-reach), skills test, dress and participation, and written tests
 - * Implemented a classroom management plan that facilitated student learning by creating a class environment that kept students safe, on task, and active
 - * Assisted in coordinating the American Heart Association's Hoops for Heart Fundraiser, raising \$8,296 at Albion Elementary and \$5,258 at Wolf Lake Elementary
 - * Applied differentiated instruction to challenge and meet the needs of all students with varying physical abilities
- Summers 2009, 2010, 2011 **Lead Camp Counselor**
Lafayette Family YMCA, Straight Arrow Day Camp
- * Instructed campers on the proper methods to safely perform outdoor physical activities
 - * Focused on character and value development of campers
 - * Developed effective communication skills with campers and their parents/guardians

2009-2011

Physical Education Program Teacher

Manchester College

- * Taught local home schooled children the fundamentals of physical education on a weekly basis
- * Provided curriculum feedback to parents through weekly newsletters
- * Adapted lessons to meet the needs of special education students

2009-2010

Physical Education Teaching Apprentice

Northrop High School and Columbia City High School

- * Observed and reflected upon teaching strategies used by veteran high school physical education teachers
- * Discussed with veteran teachers their discipline strategies
- * Took daily attendance and administered equipment

2010

Health Fitness Advisor

Timbercrest Senior Living Community

- * Instructed senior citizens how to perform safe cardio activities
- * Administered group stretching exercises to promote flexibility and prevent falls
- * Advised senior citizens on the importance of proper nutrition

2009

Special Olympics Volunteer

Wabash County Chapter

- * Conducted track and field throwing events for special needs athletes
- * Motivated and encouraged special needs athletes to give their maximum effort through positive reinforcement
- * Provided specific teaching cues to special needs athletes to maintain safety and proper form

Employment

Summers 2007, 2008

Home Maintenance Worker

DeGolyer Rentals

- * Assisted with home repair and landscape duties
- * Remodeled the interior and exterior of homes

Fall 2006-Present

Farm Laborer

Reichart Farms

- * Assisted with planting, harvesting, and hauling of crops
- * Provided maintenance to farm machinery

Activities

Sports Health and Physical Education Club, 2008-Present

Student Education Association, 2009-Present

Manchester College Football Player 2008-2010

YMCA member, 2009-Present