

JENNA SCHUESSLER

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SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

- Instruct students in academic subjects using a variety of techniques such as differentiated instruction and small group instruction to reinforce learning and to meet students' varying needs and interests.
- Instruct students using a balanced literacy program and an interactive math program
- Prepare and teach reading and math lessons using Scott Foresman textbooks and implemented math and writing centers.
- Instruct students in daily living skills required for independent maintenance and self-sufficiency, such as hygiene, safety, and food preparation.
- Employ special educational strategies and techniques during instruction to improve the development of sensory- and perceptual-motor skills, language, cognition, and memory.
- Establish and communicate clear objectives for all lessons, units, and projects and communicate those objectives to students.
- Attend Community Based Instructional Trips to restaurants, and grocery stores.
- Assist Occupational Therapist during scheduled therapy times.
- Collaborate with grade level PLC (Professional Learning Community) to schedule activities, projects and class trips.
- Administer standardized tests and end of the year assessments (NJ PASS, Terra Nova, DRA).
- Modify and adapt the general education curriculum for basic skills and special-needs students based upon a variety of instructional techniques.
- Confer with parents, administrators, teachers, testing specialists, social workers, and professionals to develop individual educational plans designed to promote students' educational, physical, and social development.
- Communicate daily with parents and teachers to discuss students' progress toward goals.
- Use various assistive technology such as iPads, and computers to assist in students' success.
- Attend various student evaluation meetings.
- Participate in Spirit Tree Art Residency Program.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT

Second Grade Long Term Substitute

REVEREND BROWN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL- CATAPULT LEARNING

Supplemental Teacher grades 1-8

Basic Skills Teacher in Reading, Writing and Math grades 1-8

One on One Instructional Aide,

GREEN HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT

Substitute Teacher

WHARTON SCHOOL DISTRICT

Second Grade Long Term Substitute

GREEN TOWNSHIP RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Arts and Crafts Summer Rec. Director

OLEY VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Middle School Life Skills Student Teacher

KUTZTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fifth Grade Student Teacher

READING SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fourth Grade Math Tutor

CELEBRATE THE CHILDREN

One on One Aide for Severely Autistic Child

JEFFERSON, NEW JERSEY

April 2012-present

SPARTA, NEW JERSEY

Sep 2011 – April 2012

Sep 2011 – April 2012

Sep 2010 – Jun 2011

GREENDELL, NEW JERSEY

Feb 2010 – Apr 2010

WHARTON, NEW JERSEY

Apr 2010 – Jun 2010

GREENDELL, NEW JERSEY

Summer of 2010; Summer of 2011

OLEY VALLEY, PENNSYLVANIA

Oct 2009 – Dec 2009

KUTZTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA

Sep 2009 – Oct 2009

READING, PENNSYLVANIA

Dec 2007 – Dec 2008

STANHOPE, NEW JERSEY

Summer of 2007; Summer of 2008

EDUCATION

ALBRIGHT COLLEGE

*Bachelor of Arts in Child and Family Studies,
May 2009*

Elementary and Special Education Teaching

Certificate Program, December 2009

GPA: 3.345/4.0

READING, PENNSYLVANIA

ACHIEVEMENTS/VOLUNTEER

Alpha Delta Pi

Alpha Kappa Delta (Sociology Honors Society)

Albright College Optimist Club

Small group leader- Grace Church on the Mount

LISCENSURE AND CERTIFCATIONS

Provisional New Jersey Elementary School Teacher Grades K-5

Provisional New Jersey Teacher of Students with Disabilities

Instructional Pennsylvania Elementary Grades K-6

Instructional Pennsylvania Special Education Grades N-12