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Profile

As an enthusiastic and dedicated English teacher, I have acquired invaluable knowledge in language instruction as a volunteer teacher during my university years, as well as via my recent positions as a supply teacher and a learning support assistant. Additionally, my experience as an EFL teacher in a summer camp has enriched my skills.. These experiences have significantly honed my communication and pedagogical abilities. Complementing my teaching acumen, my educational background in psychology has equipped me with the necessary knowledge to support and guide students throughout their academic journey and enhance their overall school experience.

My primary goal is to inspire love for learning languages and foster an appreciation for diverse cultures. To achieve this, I strive to create a fun and engaging learning environment that ignites my students' curiosity and enthusiasm for languages and culture. I am passionate about sharing my appreciation for language and its crucial role in culture with my students and I am committed to making a positive impact on their lives through education.

Teaching Experience

Learning (Cover) Supervisor

06/2023-Present Green School Trust

London, United Kingdom

- Contributing to the planning of teaching and learning activities for the entire class.
- Delivering pre-planned lessons in accordance with the teacher's instructions.
- Supervising independent work, ensuring student engagement with classwork.
- Establishing trust by interacting with students based on their individual educational needs.
- Promoting good behavior in line with school policies.
- Encouraging students to take responsibility for their behavior.
- Facilitating group tasks, promoting interaction and collaboration among pupils.

Learning Support Assistant (Contract)

11/2023-05/2023

London, United Kingdom

Green School for Boys

- Supported pupils with educational, behavioral and social development in class and at the playground..
- Supported SEND students in class, who find it challenging to learn due to dyslexia, disability or health issues.
- Planned and conducted personalised language sessions with students whose second language is English. The lessons were based on a Vocabulary Enrichment Intervention Programme, focusing on phonology, grammar, semantics and pragmatics as core pillars.
- Motivated and encouraged the students to communicate and to achieve beyond their potential.
- Helped pupils understand and implement instructions during lesson time and supervised them at the playground.

Supply Teacher (Contract) London, United Kingdom

09/2023-10/2023 Ark Elvin Academy

EFL Teacher (Contract)

07-08/2023

Summer Camp, Bradfield College - Reading

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- Planned and delivered English language lessons to A2 & B2 level students, incorporating a variety of teaching techniques and materials
- Fostered an inclusive and supportive classroom environment, adapting lessons to cater to diverse learning styles and abilities.
- Provided engaging instructional sessions through a combination of interactive brainstorming and dynamic educational games.
- Collaborated with colleagues to develop and improve curriculum materials.
- Organised and participated in classroom activities and projects that celebrated the rich diversity of the students' nationalities backgrounds, extending the learning experience beyond the curriculum.

Spanish Teacher (Voluntary) Internship, Marrakesh – Morocco 07-08/2016

AIESEC

English Teacher (Voluntary) Internship, Izmir - Turkey 07-08/2015 AIESEC

Other Working Experience

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Senior IT Consultant FDM Group	03/2019-07/2023
Business Analyst (Contract) Fidelity, Talent MarketPlace	07/2022-12/2022
Transformation Analyst (Contract) Fidelity, Transformation Office	10/2021-06/2022
PMO Analyst (Contract) O2, Business Strategy	05/2021-07/2021
Agile Project Analyst (Contract) HSBC, Comms & Culture	12/2020-03/2021
PMO & BA Support (Contract) HSBC, IT Strategy	06/2019-11/2020
Sales Internship HERMES Investment Management	08/2018
Service and Store Management Luciano's Bar & Bistro, UK	11/2018-03/2019
Masato Creperie, Greece	06/2014-12/2016
Counseling Psychologist Arsis Union Association	03/2016-06/2016
Assistant Psychologist Alzheimer HELLAS	11/2012-02/2013
Education	
Cert TESOL (Level 5)	01/2023-02/2023 Trinity College London, UK
Information Security Operations	07/2021-08/2021 FDM London Academy, UK
Certificate, School Psychology	10/2020-06/2021 University of Macedonia, Greece
PMO & BA Training	03/2019-04/2019 FDM Leeds Academy,UK
MSc, Human Resource Management	10/2017-10/2018 University of Sunderland, UK
BS (Hons.), Psychology	10/2012-03/2017 Aristotle University, Greece

Additional Skills & Interests

- Profound passion for learning languages as it allows me to develop a deeper understanding of different cultures.
 (English: Proficient / Greek: Native / Spanish: Advanced / Italian: Advanced / German: Intermediate / Korean: Elementary / Swedish: Beginner)
- Advanced technical skills in various software, including Microsoft 365, Canva, Jira, Confluence, etc.
- Committed to physical fitness and wellness, regularly engaging in activities such as kickboxing and Latin dances.
- Avid traveller with a strong interest in new cultural experiences.
- Engaging in global volunteer work and travel experiences.
- Fascinated by solving complex problems and puzzles, including mysteries and riddles.