**Career Objective**: To obtain a full-time elementary teaching position in SD#73.

**Professional Summary**

* I am an exuberant, enthusiastic, energetic educator who thrives in environments that allow me to use my creativity in new and dynamic ways.
* I am very adaptable and am usually the first one to bring positive energy into any situation.
* My passion for education has driven me to find employment that matches my teaching skills through both the performing and visual arts. I have been working within the community, through teaching and participation, in this regard for the past decade.
* My professionalism matches my desire for artistic instruction, and I am eager to learn from the knowledge and experience of my peers.
* My experience working with the public has given me excellent communication skills, and the ability to maneuver through any situation with little conflict.
* My work as a fitness instructor has given me experience working with a diverse number of clientele, giving me experience in daily alteration of lessons to accommodate the variety of athletic and mobility abilities in each class.

**Teaching Qualifications**

Bachelor of Education (grad 2023)

Fitness Yoga Instructor -50 Hour (Feb 2017)

Barre Fitness Instructor -50 Hour (Feb 2017)

Certified Zumba Instructor (March 2018)

Yin Yoga Instructor Certification Level 1 (September 2018)

Meditation Teacher Training Level 1 (March 2020)

First Aid Level 1 (February 2020)

Paint Nite Instructor (2017-2020)

Competent in Google programs: Drives, Docs, Slides, Classroom, and Jamboard.

**Education**

Thompson Rivers University 2021-2023

Bachelor of Education program

Thompson Rivers University 2000-2007

3rd Year Bachelor of Arts

English Major, Theatre Minor

**Employment Experience**

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| **Certification Practicum** January-March 2023AE Perry, Kamloops BC. Grade 5/6 |
| -Providing clear, concise instructions for a group of up to 24 students in a 5/6 class.-Successfully integrated the Arts into most curricular content.-Used a variety of formative and summative assessment pieces to document student learning-Differentiated instructions for diverse learners using a combination of project-based learning, group work, written or recorded responses, drawing and other visual designs, movement and hands on learning, music, whiteboards, chrome books, audio books and read alouds. -Incorporated Indigenous perspectives, culture, and language into all units and subject areas.-Experimented with a wide variety of classroom management practices, including student accountability, SEL, student input, reward system, timers for transitions, and open communication.-Couched the girls basketball team for the season.-Volunteered to assist in the Young Artist Conference, both as an adjudicator and workshop facilitator.  |

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| **Master Artist**Kamloops Art Party |  2021 to present (part-time) |
| **Art Summer Camp Director**Kamloops Art Party |  2021 to present |
|  -Instructing various mediums of art to groups of children during weeklong spring break and summer camps.  -Supporting new customers through various art mediums during drop-ins and prebooking’s  -Providing clear, concise instructions for a group of up to 40 people in the completion of full painting within a 2-hour window of time  -Set up and take down for each event within a reasonable time frame. -Completing a demo painting before each event, as well as duplicating the piece for students in a live, step by step format.  -Public speaking in a fun, entertaining manner.  -Providing clean, organized, and well-maintained equipment for each event. |

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| **Paint Nite Instructor** 2016-2020Kamloops/Kelowna, BC |
| -Providing clear, concise instructions for a group of up to 40 people in the completion of full painting within a 2-hour window of time-Set up and take down for each event within a reasonable time frame-Completing a demo painting before each event, as well as duplicating the piece for students in a live, step by step format.-Public speaking in a fun, entertaining manner-Providing clean, organized, and well-maintained equipment for each event.-Continuous communication with venues.-Maintaining inventory for the Kamloops region. |

**References**

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