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Education—Guidance—Inspiration

Heidi Nielson

ABOUT

A highly passionate and dedicated individual. She strives for excellence not only from her students, but also from herself. Heidi creates an active and engaging classroom and ensures that no student is left behind. She has been recognized for her organizational skills, as well as her ability to build relationships with all of her students.

Heidi will bring a smiling face, bright attitude and fresh ideas to the learning community of your school.

EDUCATION

University of Lethbridge

Bachelor of Education—2014

(with Great Distinction)

Major: Drama Education

Minor: Social Studies Education

University of Lethbridge

Bachelor of Arts—2012

Major: Dramatic Arts

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Substitute Teacher (Feb. 2014 - Present)

Horizon, Livingstone Range, Lethbridge 51, WestWind

- Responsible for classroom instruction, leadership and student well being.

Sylvan Teacher (Jan. 2015 - Present)

Sylvan Learning

- Tutoring in reading, writing and math, in a one-on-one atmosphere.

Cardston Junior High School - Social 8 (Aug. 2013 - Dec. 2013)

University of Lethbridge - Professional Semester III Internship

Teacher Mentor: Ron Dittmann

- Internship consisted of a full-time presence at CJHS. 50% of my time was dedicated to instruction, while the other 50% to professional development.
- Solely responsible for the planning, assessment and instruction of 4 classes of Social Studies 8.
- Developed a website to assist low level Social Studies learners. As well as developed an outcome based progress report.

D.A.F. Middle School - Social 8, Drama 6/8 (Feb. 2013 - Apr. 2013)

University of Lethbridge - Professional Semester II

Teacher Associates: Bev Wilk and Michelle Sawchuck

- Consisted of a full-time presence at D.A.F.
- Solely responsible for the unit planning and lesson planning for 2 classes of Social 8, 2 classes of Drama 8, and 2 classes of Drama 6.
- Collaborated and volunteered with staff for PD Days and school

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Drama

K-12

**Social
Studies**

K-12

English

K-12

Generalist

K-6

SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Technology - Incorporating technology into the day today of the classroom is a skill I take great pride in. Using smart boards, cell-phones, apps, and laptops are a great way to engage students.

The Arts - As a Drama major, the arts have always been a big part of my life. I believe that each student should find a way to creatively express themselves, whether it be music, theatre, dance or art.

REFERENCES

Ron Dittmann
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