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STUDENT SUCCESS SKILLS

COACHING

- Coached over 200 students in Grades 1-6 to success over a 10-year teaching career in both in-person and virtual environments
- Trained over a dozen adults on how to use virtual learning platforms to support student success

COMMUNICATION

- Communicated with over 200 families in Spanish and English through inbound and outbound calls, text messages, Zoom, and email to design and implement programs based on individual student needs
- Supported 200+ staff members in identifying appropriate learning opportunities in technology and in mandatory compliance training

ORGANIZATION

- Managed 3 different learning platforms while scheduling appointments, answering the phone, and conducting live lessons
- Organized and facilitated all aspects of online Zoom learning events, including scheduling, preparing learning resources, and managing logistical support for 95 students

TEAM PLAYER

- Collaborated with grade level cohort to develop performance improvement plans for 95 students
- Prepared PowerPoint presentations and Excel spreadsheets offering resources to school staff in order to support and promote student learning

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

VIRTUAL SCHOOL EDUCATOR, K-12 STEM | School District X | 2020-2022

- Taught Science and Math to 95 diverse first graders in a virtual environment, receiving a ranking of Highly Efficient (the highest ranking available) both school years
 - Developed virtual curriculum and student engagement plans that resulted in transformative learning experiences and 100% student course completion
 - Spearheaded a plan using a Pace Chart that outlined all incomplete work along with a manageable timeframe to ensure that all students in Grade 1 completed the course
 - Identified 9 potential students for advanced work with 8 of those students (89%) passing the screen for gifted classes
- Provided 1:1 question and answer sessions for 95 parents and students to support families acclimating to the challenges of virtual education
- Learned new Edtech and LMS platforms in 1-3 months in order to create lessons for virtual school, assign lessons, monitor student progress, and communicate with parents and families

STEM TEACHER | Davis Elementary School, School District Y | 2017-2020

- Organized, planned and prepared SAAS interactive technology for 75 students resulting in 100% promotion rate for students: received Highly Efficient teacher ranking all 3 years
- Wrote and received competitive grant from the Hillsborough County Literacy Association that provided literacy, writing, and vocabulary materials for 75 students resulting in 85% student improved literacy rate
- Served as Science Olympics Facilitator for 3 years, teaching hands on investigation, challenging students to think critically, and collecting and analyzing data
- Facilitated Multicultural Night which included cross-cultural and cross-curricular activities and was attended by over 100 families
- Communicated in-person, over the phone, and through emails with parents, administrators, and counselors to address and resolve students' roadblocks and design strategic solutions
- Maintained positive relationships with 50+ cross-departmental stakeholders

PRIOR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Held a variety of teaching positions in the States of New Jersey and Florida from 2007 - 2016, where I taught and coached students in 2nd, 4th, 5th, and 6th grades Math, Science, and Language Arts.

TECHNOLOGY SKILLS

Used the following platforms to coach students to success in a virtual environment:

- D21 Brightspace and Canva LMS
- Nearpod, MyOn, Brainpop Jr. and IXL Edtech Platforms

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts, Education
City University of New York, Hunter College