MATTHEW A. FINK

Profile

Striving to make an impact on our world though the education of young minds, using proven & effective methods that maintain order and foster growth within the classroom.

Skills

Capable of maintaining a structured environment within the classroom. Works well with teams. Ready and able to carry out directives provided by administration. Experienced in the educating of young children in areas of speech, reading, & writing. Sensitive to the different learning styles of children and able to meet the individual needs caused by these learning styles.

Experience

Early Autism Project Applied Behavioral Analysis Line Therapist (ABA)

Feb. 2011-Jan. 2012

Worked with a team of therapist that carried out therapy as direct by the coordinator. Provided ABA therapy for Autistic children, which catered to their deficits in such areas as behavior, reading, writing, speech, as well as gross and fine motor skills.

South Carolina Department of Corrections July 2010-Dec.2012 Volunteer Mentor and Teacher's Aid to the Prison Initiative Program

Readily made myself available as a friend and peer to inmates struggling with the stresses of prison life as well as providing them assistance in the lab with the use of computers and proofreading of their assignments.

Temple Baptist Church Youth Pastor

Aug. 2005-June 2006

Prepared and taught lesson plans for a group of teenagers. Supervised the youth group at events and outings. Led a weekly discipleship group.

Education

Columbia International University - Columbia, South Carolina

May 2011

Bachelors of Science Major in Psychology with a core in Youth Ministry

Bridge-Liguatec's TEFLOnline.com

Nov. 2011

40-Hour TEFL Certificate, (ACCET accreditation)