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Eliseo Rodriguez Jr.

objective

To enrich my knowledge of world cultures in order to better understand world history.

Functional summary

* As a public school teacher in Korea, I am accustomed to working with a co-teacher in the room with me at all times. I am also able to deal with large classes, some having up to 36 students.
* The small class environment I had while working in an English institute has given me precious teaching experience and better prepared me to handle children in a study environment. It has also helped me to get better accustomed to working in Korea.
* As a supervisor I have the leadership mentality needed to work in a group environment, such as in a teacher-student setting.
* As a bilingual person I understand the problems that arise when learning a new language, especially English, allowing me to better help students.
* Since the University of Houston is one of the most diverse universities in the U.S., I was given the opportunity to interact with many different cultures as a student. Therefore I am able to comfortably work in an environment with a variety of cultural backgrounds.

Education

08/01 to 12/06 University of Houston, Houston, TX

*Bachelor’s of Art, History*

Graduated with highest honors as a Summa Cum Laude.

Employment

11/09 to 11/10 Bucheon Ilshin Elementary School Bucheon, South Korea

*English Teacher*

* Taught English to elementary school children.
* Children ranged from first to sixth grade.
* The smallest class consisted of 30 students; therefore I dealt with a large class environment.
* Within the large classes the comprehension levels of English varied greatly, therefore I had to find teaching methods that could include all the different levels of comprehension.
* Taught over 900 students.
* Taught children songs and plays.
* Worked together with Korean co-teachers inside the classroom.
* During the winter and summer camps, the classroom environment switched over to that of a private school as in that the classes were much smaller and I was alone with the students in the classroom; therefore, I am able to switch my teaching style in the middle of a school year.

08/08 to 08/09 Megavision Wonderland Bucheon, South Korea

*English Teacher*

* Taught English to elementary school children.
* Children varied from Kindergarten to sixth grade.
* Not only were the students of varied grades, but they were also of varied levels in regards to their knowledge of English, therefore I had to change my teaching patterns to better match the varied students and classes.
* Have dealt with over one hundred and thirty students; the largest class consisting of 12 students.
* Taught children songs, dance, and plays.
* Wrote individual reports for students on a timely manner.
* Worked together with Korean co-teachers outside the classroom.

01/06 to 08/08 Barnes & Noble College Stores Houston, TX

*Warehouse Supervisor*

* Supervised the daily activities of an $11 million warehouse.
* Ensure that all incoming shipments are accurately received within 24 hours of receipt.
* Verify that all shipments are counted and matched against invoices, packing slips, and/or bill of ladings.
* Maintain all records in a neat and organized fashion.
* Monitor staff to solve receiving problems.
* Interacted with supervisors of the other departments in order to have a better ran store.

Languages

Fluent in English and Spanish.

Beginner’s knowledge of Korean and Japanese.