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To Whom It May Concern:

My motivation to teach in Korea is my wanting and need for a deeper understanding of education. I plan to become a Special Education teacher in the states, which requires a lot of knowledge about education and its influence. In pursuit of my career, I have worked with children of all ages in various settings for over six years. I've taught at a preschool, an after school, a public school, and a church. Furthermore, I've learned a lot about the education offered in the states through college—where I studied elementary education—and also through my own experiences in the United States school system. However, I feel the need to explore and experience education at a different level, in a completely different setting. For this reason, I've decided to put my teaching credential studies on hold to experience education in Korea, my motherland.

Sincerely,
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Experience

Small World Education Center

Granada Hills, California

Teacher

September 2006 - Current

- Teacher for student ages 4- to 5-years old. Emphasis on behavior development, strong phonological knowledge, and basic math concepts.
- Tutor for students in junior high school. Subjects taught are Math and English.
- Other non-teaching related qualities needed are basic computer skills and good social skills.

Andasol Elementary School

Northridge, California

Teacher Assistant (Second Grade)

September 2008 - June 2009

- Provided individual help for students in need of reading and math assistance in a general education class.
- Provided individual help for students with disabilities in a special education class (Resource Specialist Program).

All Nations Church

Lake View Terrace, California

Teacher

January 2005 - February 2008

- Taught Sunday bible study to children in grades 1 to 3.

JEI Education Center

La Canada, California

Teacher

September 2003 - June 2005

- Teacher for students in fifth grade. Main subjects taught were Math, English, and Social Studies.
- Other non-teaching related qualities needed were intermediate computer skills and good social skills.

Education

California State University, Northridge

Northridge, California

Bachelor of Arts, Liberal Studies - Special Education Teacher Prep.

August 2007 - Current

- Will receive B.A. by August 2010.

College of the Canyons

Santa Clarita, California

Liberal Studies

August 2004 - August 2007

- Transferred to California State University, Northridge.

Skills

Passage of the California Basic Educational Skills Test (CBEST). Passage of the California Subject Examinations for Teachers (CSET) - Multiple Subject Subtest II. Solid work ethic that finds satisfaction in achieving work goals. Strong interpersonal skills being able to act as liaison between personality types. Very organized using time and recourses effectively and knowledgeable in Microsoft Office programs, typing 75 wpm. Fluent in English and nearly fluent in Korean. CPR certified.

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Reference

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