

Practicum in Teaching

Practicum in Teaching has greatly grown me as a nurturing and engaging educator. It is the capstone of my degree and implementation of prior classwork specific to the Art of Teaching. Understanding how to apply my major in a classroom has both benefited me as a student and my students as active learners. Throughout my fieldwork in the classroom, I have collected data through journaling and an electronic portfolio. I have conducted lessons showcasing what I've learned in experiential learning and teaching.

The results of my teaching has provided practical knowledge in my major while also supplying knowledge to my 8th grade classroom. I have learned how to easily involve students throughout a lesson and engage them in my teaching. I have also learned how to correct behavior in a constructive way using mutual respect. In conclusion, through teaching I have learned alongside children and peers. I have grown and understood the importance of life-long learning and practical application in the classroom.