# JENNIFER JOHNSON

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## **OBJECTIVE**

To obtain a secondary science teaching position that will allow me to provide students with a positive and challenging learning environment.

#### **EDUCATION**

#### MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

East Lansing, Michigan

College of Education, Secondary Teaching Certification

#### MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

**MAY 2013** 

**APRIL 2014** 

East Lansing, Michigan
Bachelor of Science, Biological Science

#### **CERTIFICATION**

DA Biology Grades 6-12
DI Integrated Science Endorsement Grades 6-12

## INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

#### HARPER WOODS HIGH SCHOOL

**AUGUST 2013 - APRIL 2014** 

Harper Woods, Michigan

Intern Teacher

- Prepared, implemented, and analyzed lessons for Biology, Honors Biology, and Chemistry
- Responsible for instruction, grading, and attendance
- Consistently participated in Professional Development and staff meetings
- Regularly communicated with parents via email, phone, and parent teacher conferences
- Actively worked with teachers and professionals to develop Chemistry and Biology curriculum and assessments based on the Next Generation Science Standards
- Employed various teaching methods such as inquiry based learning and differentiated instruction to engage diverse learning capabilities
- Integrated research-based strategies into daily lessons and curriculum planning

## PRE-INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

## WILLIAMSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

**OCTOBER 2012 – APRIL 2013** 

Williamston, Michigan

Pre-Student Teacher for High School Biology

- Planned and implemented lessons for Biology
- Assisted in daily classroom activities
- Examined classroom rules and routines to inform my own practice

#### EAST LANSING MIDDLE SCHOOL

**JANUARY 2012 - APRIL 2012** 

East Lansing, Michigan

Pre-Student Teacher for Middle School Science

- Assisted in developing laboratory materials for eighth grade students
- Worked with ELL students to develop literacy skills
- Mentored small groups of students with special needs in developing their scientific skills

#### **EASTERN HIGH SCHOOL**

SEPTEMBER 2011 - DECEMBER 2011

Lansing, Michigan Service Learning Intern

- Tutored high school students in biology, chemistry, and physics
- Assisted ELL students in developing conversational skills

## RELATED TEACHING EXPERIENCE

HIGH SCHOOL TUTOR

OCTOBER 2013 - DECEMBER 2013

Rochester Hills, Michigan

MIDDLE SCHOOL MATH TUTOR

MAY 2009 - AUGUST 2009

Rochester Hills, Michigan

## RELATED WORK EXPERIENCE

## ASSISTANT COORDINATOR, ACADEMIC ORIENTATION PROGRAM

**SEPTEMBER 2012 –J ULY 2013** 

East Lansing, Michigan

- Designed and implemented a training program for the Student Coordinator staff
- Worked with advisors and University staff to plan and execute the Orientation Program

## STUDENT COORDINATOR, ACADEMIC ORIENTATION PROGRAM

**SEPTEMBER 2010 - AUGUST 2012** 

East Lansing, Michigan

- Created a training program for 180 employees
- Collaborated with staff, faculty, and advisors to redesign the Orientation Program

## RESIDENT ASSISTANT, ACADEMIC ORIENTATION PROGRAM

FEBRUARY 2010 - AUGUST 2010

East Lansing, Michigan

- Assisted incoming freshmen in creating academic schedules
- Conducted informational tours of the campus for the parents of incoming students

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

National Science Teachers Association

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

M Futures Conference September 2013
Institute for Research and Reform in Education Seminar June 2013
Pearson Education Seminar June 2013

## AWARDS AND ACTIVITIES

College of Education Convocation Speaker
Sigma Kappa Sorority member
December 2009 – April 2013
Michigan State University Dean's List
December 2012, December 2008
Pixley Family Scholarship
August 2008
Crittenton Hospital Crittenteen Scholarship
August 2008