

# JANE SMITH

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## LICENSURE

Utah Elementary Education License, PK-6 (application pending)

## EDUCATION

### B.S., Elementary Education

Minor: Parks and Recreation

Utah State University (USU), Logan UT

May 2023

GPA 3.8

## STUDENT TEACHING AND FIELD EXPERIENCE

### Woodruff Elementary School, Logan UT

October 2022-present

*Student Teacher, Third Grade: 25 students, including 6 with IEPs, January 2022-present*

- Designed an inquiry-based social studies lesson where students used primary-source documents to explore the rights guaranteed by the First Amendment
- Created hands-on learning centers and bulletin boards to reinforce science concepts, including photosynthesis, rocks and minerals, and cellular respiration to help students understand the lesson material
- Integrated Smart Board technology into all academic areas, with an emphasis on math, spelling, and science to integrate the use of technology and accessibility into the classroom environment
- Assessed students' reading comprehension, fluency, and words per minute through the *Read Naturally* Program to ensure that all students were steadily improving their reading skills
- Managed the classroom by using a music box to reduce noise level and a reward system for positive behavior
- Supervised a paraprofessional who worked individually with students on an IEP and 504 accommodations plan to gain a better understanding of how we can better serve students on an individual basis

*Field Experience, First Grade: 24 students, including 2 with IEPs, October-December 2022*

- Directed students through a writing activity, "I Wish I Were a Butterfly..." that resulted in creating a class book
- Administered and scored an Individualized Reading Inventory and a Standard Reading Inventory to help students increase their reading fluency and comprehension
- Worked 1:1 with 2 students with IEPs to ensure that they were understanding the daily class materials

## RELATED WORK EXPERIENCE

### Mount Logan Middle School, Logan UT

August 2021-May 2022

*Individual Tutor*

- Provided 1:1 instruction for 5, 6<sup>th</sup> grade students on math and science topics
- Supplemented classroom instruction with structured problems to reinforce course content for students in need
- Raised math and science grades to an A for all 5 of the 6<sup>th</sup> grade students through weekly discussions and review of course material and homework

## LEADERSHIP AND VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

*President, USU Yoga Club, Logan UT*

August 2021-present

- Coordinate with yoga instructors on campus to lead weekly yoga sessions for club members to improve skills

*Volunteer, Cache Food Pantry, Logan UT*

May 2021-December 2021

*Student Co-Leader, Habitat for Humanity, New Orleans LA*

March 2021

## SKILLS AND CERTIFICATIONS

First Aid

Smart Board Technology

Zoom

Adobe Illustrator

CPR

Microsoft Office