

# JENNIFER YOUNG

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## OBJECTIVE

To obtain a full-time teaching position where my extensive experience working with children in a classroom environment can be utilized to enhance the lives of children

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## SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

- 4+ years of experience working in an educational setting specifically first to fourth grade
- Outstanding ability to communicate with children, parents and faculty
- Highly organized, dedicated with a positive attitude to service various age and ethnic populations
- First Aid and CPR Certified
- Courses in Education, Theories of Teaching & Learning, Child & Adolescent Growth Development
- 200+ hours spent in both the elementary and high school classrooms observing and assisting teachers

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## EDUCATION

*Bachelor of Arts Degree in Liberal Studies* May 2012  
CSU Channel Islands, Camarillo, CA

- Passed CBEST with plans to enter the credential program at CSU Channel Islands

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## OBSERVATION EXPERIENCE

*Acacia Elementary*, Public Elementary School, grades 1-4 2010-2012  
*Newbury Park Middle School*, Public Middle School, grades 6-8 2009-2010  
*Adolfo Camarillo High School*, Public High School, grades 9-12 2008-2009  
*Pinecrest Preschool*, Public Preschool for children ages 3-5 2007-2008

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### Preschool Teacher

*KinderCare*, Thousand Oaks, CA Aug. 2011-Present

- Plan and implement a developmentally appropriate curriculum for a four year-old class through circle time games and developmentally appropriate fun-related activities
- Facilitate an active learning environment for children ages two to five by active classroom participation

### Teacher's Assistant

*Mission Oaks Elementary*, Camarillo, CA Aug. 2010- May 2011

- Assisted in a First/Second grade split class Summer Enrichment Program helping children understand and successfully complete various homework and in class assignments
- Worked with the first graders on printing skills incorporating lessons on alphabet letters and spelling their names
- Led and facilitated various art lessons when the main teacher was away from the classroom
- Supervised and promoted a safe campus during lunch and recess breaks

### Private Tutor

*The Learning Tree*, Camarillo, CA Oct. 2006-Oct. 2009

- Assessed, analyzed, and evaluated students for tutoring to determine educational challenges
- Tutored and met with students on an hourly basis three times a week and helped students prepare for exams
- Served as a peer mentor to students to build and maintain relationships with both students and parents

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## VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE & COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

*Teacher Assistant Volunteer*, Wood Ranch Elementary, Simi Valley 2010-2012  
*Volunteer Team Coordinator*, Relay for Life, Camarillo 2006-2012  
*Private Tutor*, Ventura County, CA 2005-2008