MEREDITH ELISE ZANDI

Resume

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EDUCATION -

- **2019** TESOL-VIPKid Foundational Teacher Training
- **2016** Bachelor of Arts University of North Carolina
- **2013** Maconaquah High School Honors Diploma

KEY SKILLS -

- Online Tools and
 Office Suites
- ● Communication skills
- • Flexible and tolerant
- Organization and prioritization
- • • Awareness, reflection and development
- Ollaboration

LANGUAGES —

- • English (native)
- ●●○○ German (A1.2 level)
- • Chinese (basic)

AWARDS -

- · Honors diploma
- 99.7% VIPKid 5-star rating
- VIPKid 3000 classes award

QUALIFICATIONS SUMMARY

- Experienced English as a second language teacher
- · Specialized in teaching kids and young adults
- Conversational feedback-driven teaching style with reward system
- Science based teaching methodology: Behaviorist and Cognitive Theory
- Proficient in modern online teaching techniques

RELEVANT SKILLS

LESSON PLANNING

- Individualized and participatory class and curriculum development
- Balanced sessions of focused learning and informal conversation
- Flexible lesson plan to regulate class time and adapt to student's needs
- Catalog of handmade props to increase student engagement
- Written reports for accurate self-assesment and parental feedback
- Graded unit assessments at the end of every teaching unit

STUDENT DEVELOPMENT

- Cultivate positive attitude towards learning beyond the language
- Promote interpersonal and communication skills through participation
- Encourage positive appraisal of the student's personal qualities and traits
- Foster self confidence and social skills through free conversation
- Teach effective study skills for self-teaching and self-reflection

TEACHING

- Exploring language by means of everyday subjects and fun activities: English, Math, Biology, Geography, History, and Social Studies
- Playful training of phonetics and pronunciation
- Followed procedures for students with attention issues

WORK HISTORY

2019 - present: VIPKid Teacher

2018: 3rd Grade Teacher's Assistant, Emma Elementary School

2017: 4th and 5th Grade Teacher's Assistant, Black Mountain Elementary School

2015: Executive Assistant for Jet Set World Travel

2014: Woolworth Walk Gallery Assistant