

Shannon Murphy

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Art education graduate seeking a teaching position in the Fine Arts. Highly creative candidate looking to support a school's mission by creating a personal, engaging learning environment.

Education

Bachelor of Science, Art Education May 2023
Towson University, Towson, MD

Bachelor of Science, Art + Design – Fine Arts May 2023
Towson University, Towson, MD

- Cumulative GPA: 3.553; Dean's list 2020 – Present
- Active member of the National Art Education Association; Social media chair member
- Proficient fine art skills in drawing, painting, ceramics, photography, and printmaking
- Well versed in the planning and development process of cultivating fine art curricula

Certification by the Maryland State Department of Education to teach art grades PreK-12
Praxis II completion
EdTPA completion

Student Teaching / Field Experience

Bel Air High School, Harford County, MD March 2023 - May 2023
Student Teaching – Grades 9-12

- Assumed full-time internship responsibilities that ensured administrative and school policies were followed
- Established a respectful and inclusive environment that encouraged students to learn and grow as artists
- Observed and collaborated in standard art classrooms to engage in the process of lesson planning
- Developed fine art curricula at the secondary level to deepen student knowledge and understanding of art, design, and art history

Jarrettsville Elementary School, Harford County, MD January 2023 - March 2023
Student Teaching – Grades K-5

- Assumed full-time internship responsibilities that ensured administrative and school policies were followed
- Established a respectful and inclusive environment that encouraged students to learn and grow as artists
- Observed and collaborated in standard art classrooms to engage in the process of lesson planning
- Developed fine art curricula at the elementary level to deepen student knowledge and understanding of art, design, and art history

New Song Academy, Baltimore City, MD
Field Experience – Grade 8

November 2022 - December 2022

- Assumed part-time internship responsibilities that established a respectful and inclusive environment
- Prepared materials and equipment for classroom activities in an organized manner
- Implemented art integration in the computer science classroom
- Taught a quality pixel art unit at the eighth-grade level that engaged students in the creative process

Mays Chapel Elementary School, Baltimore County, MD
Field Experience – Grades K-5

September 2022 - October 2022

- Assumed part-time internship responsibilities that established a respectful and inclusive environment
- Prepared materials and equipment for classroom activities in an organized manner
- Observed and collaborated in standard art classrooms – grades kindergarten through fifth
- Taught a quality color and line unit at the kindergarten level that engaged students in the creative process

Dumbarton Middle School, Baltimore County, MD
Field Experience – Grades 6-8

October 2021 - November 2021

- Observed and collaborated in standard art classrooms
- Observed and collaborated in English Language Learner classrooms
- Maintained order in the classroom and supported lead teacher in conflict solving

Related Experience / Volunteering

Amazing Glaze Pottery Studio, Bel Air, MD
Hired Employee

May 2017 - Present

- Sales associate from 2017 - 2021
- Promotion to key holder 2021 - Present
- Proficient in teaching workshops, classes, and hosting birthday parties
- Well versed in the painting, glazing, and firing process of ceramic pottery

Towson Universities Partnership with New Song Academy
Service-Learning Volunteer

May 5th, 2022

- Curated workshop for New Song Academy students on Towson Universities campus
- Taught a successful optical illusion drawing workshop to eighth grade students

Towson Universities Partnership with New Song Academy
Service-Learning Volunteer

April 22nd, 2022

- Curated workshop for New Song Academy students on Towson Universities campus
- Celebrated Earth Day with second and third grade students through printmaking methods and exploration

References

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