

RORY RAIDER

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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

- Motivated student pursuing a career in art therapy, specifically working with children
- Future art therapist actively building knowledge through experiences working with children and rigorous coursework in art, education, and psychology
- Problem-solver with experience assisting children in art classes and exercising strong attention to detail as a customer service representative and audio-visual work study

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts | Art Therapy

Northwestern College | Orange City, IA

- Minor | **Developmental Psychology**
- Dean's List: Fall 2020

Expected: December 2023

GPA: 3.3/4.0

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

Integrating Arts in Elementary
Classrooms

Developmental Psychology
Psychopathology

History of Psychology

Cross-Cultural Psychology

Social Psychology

Intro to Clinical/Counseling

Marriage and Family

Psychology and Faith

Children's Literature

Art History

Drawing

Ceramics

Painting

Sculpture

Printmaking

Photography I & II

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Art Teacher | Sioux Center Arts | Sioux Center, IA

May – August 2023

- Instructed a painting class for various age groups and created projects based on abilities and interests
- Empowered students to utilize their own artistic vision in their artwork
- Engaged students by planning and designing interactive lessons

WORK EXPERIENCE

Nanny | Private Families

2017 – Present

- Responsible for the care of children, ages infant to 14, for various families
- Follow children's schedules and transport them to numerous activities
- Utilize time management and multitasking skills while actively engaging with children

Customer Service Representative | Expressions | Sioux Center, IA

June 2021 – Present

- Organize and design the interior of the store with home décor
- Interact with customers to create a positive shopping experience and assist them with design choices
- Pay attention to detail while creating floral arrangements for funerals, birthdays, and special occasions

Audio-Visual Work Study | Northwestern College AV Department | Orange City, IA

August 2021 – Present

- Assist with set up and operation of audio-visual equipment for meetings and campus events
- Monitor events and meetings to ensure that needs are met and equipment is working properly

CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT

Worship Team Member | Northwestern College Campus Ministries

August 2021 – Present

Prison Ministries Volunteer | Northwestern College Campus Ministries

January – May 2023

Spring Service Project Volunteer | Northwestern College Campus Ministries

March 2023