



EDUCATION & LICENSURE

Bachelor of Arts | Elementary Education

Northwestern College | Orange City, IA

Expected graduation: May 2026

- Minor: Cultural Studies
- GPA: 3.67/4.0
- Dean’s List | Seven Semesters

Initial Teaching License: State of Iowa

- Endorsement: Reading K-6

Romania Semester

Fall 2024

Study Abroad Program

Earned EDU Badges | 50 hrs. per badge

ServiceProfessionalism

DiversityLeadership

EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Student TeacherJan–May 2026

- First Grade
Rock Valley Elementary | Rock Valley, IA
- Fourth Grade
Tegucigalpa International School,
Tegucigalpa, Honduras

Practicum HoursAug 2022–Dec 2025

Various Schools | Northwest Iowa

- Completed 100+ hours of observation and teaching in various classrooms, subjects, and age levels
- Created and implemented lesson plans for elementary-aged students, keeping them engaged and interested in the material
- Worked one-on-one with a student on phonics and comprehension
- Observed current teachers as they work with students, asking them questions to broaden my understanding

CAMPUS LEADERSHIP

Northwestern College | Orange City, IA

Small Group LeaderAug 2025–Present

Orientation Staff LeaderAug 2024

Orientation Staff MemberAug 2023

RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

Teacher & Paraprofessional SubstituteOct 2025–Present

Orange City Christian School | Orange City, IA

- Instruct students in various subjects and work alongside them in their classroom learning
- Answer questions and provide support
- Provide additional instruction as a Paraprofessional

Program ManagerSummers 2024 & 2025

Crooked Creek Christian Camp | Washington, IA

- Planned schedule and organized details of a 1-week day camp
- Stepped into an advanced leadership role by supervising my peers, planning games, and leading activities
- Actively and clearly communicated with parents

Camp CounselorSummers 2022–2025

Crooked Creek Christian Camp | Washington, IA

- Led campers in activities and fostered a positive cabin environment
- Adapted well to daily schedule changes

VBS Teacher: 5th & 6th GradesJul 2025

East Union Mennonite Church | Kalona, IA

- Adapted curriculum and taught lessons to seven children
- Led children in activities like songs and crafts

AWANA Leader: 4th & 5th GradesAug 2022–May 2024

First Reformed Church | Orange City, IA

- Planned lessons based on curriculum
- Led games and crafts
- Built relationships with a group of eight students

SERVICE & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Service Trip: Pescadero, MexicoMar 2025

Service Trip: Mescalero, NMMar 2024

Service Trip: New Orleans, LAMar 2023

Hands Around the World: Orange City, IA2025

ADDITIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE

BaristaMay 2021–Present

Scooter’s Coffee | Iowa City, IA & Orange City, IA

- Exercise strong customer service skills when welcoming guests and engaging in active listening
- Efficiently prepare and serve high-quality drinks
- Collaborate with coworkers in a team-focused environment