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Master of Arts SUNY Fredonia
English

Bachelor of Arts SUNY Fredonia
English
Minor: Communications

Subjects Tutored Reading, Writing, English,
Math (K-8), College Prep

Advice to Students Knowledge is not wisdom
and being smart won't carry
you half as far as self-
motivation and the guidance
of your elders.



My introduction to teaching happened my first year in grad school—I was thrust into a room full of eager college freshmen and expected to teach them how to write. I focused on not only developing their academic skills but on increasing their abilities to critically think and evaluate the world around them. My entire focus in education since that time has been to foster the creativity and independence critical thought provides. Since that first experience I have worked with Upward Bound as a tutor and instructor, taught high school English, instructed literature and writing courses at the college level, tutored for the public school system as well as privately, and co-authored a book (*Beyond Normal: Making Your Writing Devilishly Good*) geared to preparing students to write well in college.

I always prepare what I intend to cover with my students but I remain flexible to adapt whatever my “plan” for them may be to suit their needs and attitudes. In order to promote critical thought about what we’re doing and why, I ask questions that allow the students to find the answers themselves. I also strive to create a positive environment with my students by aligning the focus of our topics with their individual lessons. That means I read *Percy Jackson* right along with my ten year old tutor-ees!

I believe so much in a family's ability to know what's best for their children and I have the utmost respect for helping parents and children together set and achieve their goals for success. Many times parents are frustrated with their own attempts to work with their children and that's where we can step in as tutors and take the pressure off by allowing them to focus on the other aspects of their children's lives—not just school. I also love seeing that a-ha moment when a child or teen finally “gets it.”

Photography, hiking, all things four-year old boy related, cooking, container gardening, reading, soaking up all that Asheville has to offer

I've traveled around the US by car and Europe by rail—both as solo trips.

My son and I are planning to take a road trip together to “Talifornia” so we can see the Redwoods.

Experience in Education

Tutoring Style

Why I like tutoring

Hobbies & Interests

You'll never guess, but...