

Professional Goals

I am incredibly excited to be starting my career as an elementary educator. I am certain there is no other profession that could provide me with as much happiness and fulfillment as teaching and working with kids. I do know however my journey of educating myself and bettering myself as an educator is not over. Making clear goals for yourself in life is beneficial and gives you a direction of where you really want to go. I have always made goals for myself and have always been successful at achieving those goals. I have included my current educational goals and my professional and life goals.

- Obtain my Literacy Endorsement within the next two years. I only need 12 more credits from BSU to achieve this goal.
- Find a teaching position at a school that shares the same philosophy in education that I have. I feel this helps keep a strong bond within the school and classroom.
- Create a strong professional relationship with my colleagues, team teachers and staff. We are all there to help students learn and create a safe, happy environment. It is much more successful if we are working collaboratively.
- Continue attending classes, workshops and other educational programs that will assist me in becoming extremely knowledgeable in the subjects I teach.
- Giving myself time to reflect on the day in the classroom is a powerful learning tool. Reflection is so important in all aspects of teaching. I intend on keeping a teaching reflection journal to help me understand how my lessons are going, what is working and what is not working.
- Keep a healthy balance between family, teaching, school, home and time for myself. Find time to do the things I need to do to keep myself happy and healthy, my family happy and healthy and my career.