# Sarah Allison

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## Education

### **Bachelor of Education (Primary)**

St. Thomas University, Fredericton, NB (506) 452-0640

### Bachelor of Art, Majors in French and Science and Technology Studies

- St. Thomas University, Fredericton, NB (506) 452-0640
  - Graduated with distinction
  - Dean's list 2012

## **Teaching Experience**

### Teaching Internship at Forest Hill Elementary School, Grade 1

During and eight-week field placement in a grade one class with Christie Jordan, I had the opportunity to assume all teaching responsibilities. I prepared and taught lessons daily, ensured the emotional and physical safety of all students, and used both formative and summative assessments. During this internship I gained significant experience in preparing and facilitating Daily 5, the Café menu and math stations.

### Teaching Internship at Harvey Elementary School, Grade 2

I spent seven weeks working in a grade 2 classroom with Mrs. Cheryl McKillop. During this time I assumed all teaching responsibilities in the classroom; I had the opportunity to teach in all subject areas including Language Arts, Math, You and Your World and Art. The time I spent at HES was extremely positive and I learned a considerable amount about classroom management, routines, dealing with challenging behavior, SmartBoard technologies and differentiating lessons to meet the needs of all students. While working at this school I had the opportunity to experience first hand how to facilitate a triad-enrichment program in the classroom.

### Math extra-help at Fredericton High School

Every week for an hour and a half to help three students who were struggling in their grade 10 Math class. I taught and reviewed with them several concepts and guided them through numerous assignments and tests.

## **Teaching-Related Experience**

### Children's International Summer Villages (CISV)

CISV is a non-profit, youth run organization that aims to build global friendship through cultural understanding, education, community involvement, awareness and action. I have held various board positions over the years and participated in 5 international camps through CISV. July 2012 I was the leader of a group of four eleven year olds to a CISV camp in Norway where we represented Canada. While in Norway we lived with delegations from twelve different countries for a month; the goal of this program is to learn by doing. July 2013 I will be staffing a similar camp here in Fredericton, Canada. Some of the other notable responsibilities I have had with CISV include:

Junior Branch co-Advisor (2012- present) Jr. JB coordinator of monthly activities for youth 9-12 (2010-2012) Seminar Camp Planning Committee (2010) Junior Branch Chair (2007-2008)

## March- May 2013

### November-December 2012

### 2002- present

2012- present

2008-2012

January- June 2012

### Education Student Council Secretary

Attend and actively participate in all STU B.Ed student council meeting. My responsibilities included sending reminder e-mails, taking minutes at meetings, and planning social events and fundraiser.

### President of the Science and Technology Studies Club

President and co-founder of the STU STS Club. Being part of this academic society built my leadership skills tremendously. Every event we hosted was a learning experience as we worked extremely hard to get our peers and follow students interested in STS through movie nights, guest speakers, and meetings with faculty members.

## **Other Employment Experience**

### University of New Brunswick Harriet Irving Library

Since September 2010 I have been working as a part time assistant at the Commons Service Desk at the UNB library. My responsibilities include checking out books to students and faculty members, booking study rooms as well as shelving books in the library stacks. While working here I have become very familiar with many research databases and how to search for information on a wide range of topics.

### **Alzheimer Society of New Brunswick**

I was employed as a summer student for the Alzheimer Society of New Brunswick for three summers; I worked for two summers at the provincial office and the final year at the provincial office. My primary responsibilities in these positions were to assist the regional coordinator with the coordination of the national Coffee Break fundraiser, assist with administrative tasks including receipting and some support services. Working in the non-profit sector taught me a significant amount about how to make due with the resources that you have available- a creative skill that I apply daily when teaching.

## Awards

Certificate of Appreciation 201	13
<ul> <li>Children's International Summer Villages</li> </ul>	
In Excellence in Science and Technology Studies 201	12

### ■ St. Thomas University

## Language

Language proficiency in both English and French which have been developed through post-secondary education. In 2011 I participated in the Explore program and completed a five-week intensive French program at l'université du Quebec a Chicoutimi. (New Brunswick French proficiency certificate indicates an advanced level in 2008).

## September 2012- present

April 2011- May 2012

### September- April 2010- present

### April- August 2009- 2011

## References

Christie Jordan, Forest Hill Elementary School Fredericton, New Brunswick Work: (506) 453- 5408 <u>christie.jordan@nbed.nb.ca</u>

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