

# JAMES HWANG

# **Professional Summary**

Highly qualified high school teacher with over 4 years of Civics to high school students in urban educational settings. Special talent engaging atrisk students in historical curriculum and connecting subject matter to student lives and cultures. Willing team player and have the ability to work with patience and understanding in all circumstances.

# Work History

#### **Everest Public High School - AP Government Teacher**

455 Fifth Ave, Redwood City, CA 94063

07/2019 - Current

- Teaching government and history concepts and ideas to 12th grade students
- Mentored two 11th grade groups
- Conducted regular parent-teacher conferences to keep parents informed of student progress.
- Planned learning activities that provided students with opportunities to observe, question and investigate social studies topics.
- Helped students develop important learning skills and good study habits useful in trade school or college education.
- Helped students with college application process
- Social emotional learning/interaction with students
- Created lesson plans and made adjustments based on overall class performance throughout year.
- Devised lesson plans reflecting student educational, cultural and language diversity.

#### **CITIZEN SCHOOLS - TEACHING FELLOW**

277 Mahoney Dr, San Jose, CA 95127

08/2015 - 06/2019

- Assisted 6th to 8th-grade students after school with their homework
- Build lesson plans and teach curriculums based on STEM careers and courses -Observe first-shift teachers and assist those teachers during class
- Build lesson plans and teach curriculums based on the arts.
- Social Emotional learning/ interaction with students -Data and technology work -Creating strong forms of assessment and learning

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#### Skills

- Innovative Teaching Methods
- Emotional Support
- Student Counseling
- Time Management
- Positive Reinforcement Methods
- Different Learning Styles
- Positive Learning Environment
- Individualized Support
- Distance Learning
- Chaperoning Events
- Google Slides
- Adaptability
- Team collaboration

#### Education

05/2019

San Jose Stated University

San Jose, CA

**Teaching Credential** 

• 3.8 GPA

05/2014

San Jose State University

San Jose, CA

BA: HISTORY, SJSU

tools

 Helped coordinate and plan for Citizen School's biggest event of the year

### Self-employeed - Tutor

San Jose , CALIFORNIA 01/2011 - 08/2015

- Collaborated with students to complete homework assignments, identify lagging skills and correct weaknesses.
- Motivated students towards learning and studying to build selfconfidence and reduce fear of failure.
- Provided homework assistance using specific curriculum and materials.

# Additional Information

My Own Website: With more information about me as a person https://jameshwang6986.wixsite.com/hwangtheteacher