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# BRITTANY RULAND

ART EDUCATOR

## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Art Educator with a dynamic approach to inspiring creativity and critical thinking, backed by three years of experience in diverse educational settings. Skilled in project management and curriculum development, driving student engagement and enhancing learning outcomes. Skilled in multidisciplinary artistic practices, working across various mediums. Committed to cultivating an inclusive and innovative learning environment.

## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

AUG 2023 - DEC 2023

### Skinner Middle School, Denver, Colorado

- Help home teacher guide students in art projects, fostering creativity and critical thinking.
- Provided constructive feedback, boosting student confidence and skill development.
- Facilitated student engagement in creative projects, inspiring artistic expression and innovation.
- Completed 60 hours of observation.

JAN 2024 - MAY 2025

### Westminster High School , Westminster, Colorado

- Observed and analyzed teaching methods, enhancing instructional strategies.
- Collaborated with teachers to develop engaging art projects, boosting student participation.
- Supported students in developing artistic skills, leading to improved class performance.
- Completed 60 hours of observation.

AUG 2024 - DEC 2025

### McElwain Elementary School, Thornton, Colorado

- Observed teaching methods, gaining insights into effective classroom management and student motivation.
- Demonstrated strong work ethic and punctuality while learning effective teaching strategies in a collaborative environment.
- Actively engaged in observing classroom dynamics, enhancing adaptability and communication skills to support diverse learners.
- Completed 60 hours of observation.

JAN 2025 - MAY 2025

### Thunder Vista P-8, Broomfield, Colorado

- Guided students in art techniques, fostering creativity and self-expression.
- Developed lesson plans, enhancing student engagement and learning outcomes.
- Collaborated with faculty to integrate art into the broader curriculum.
- Assessed student progress, providing constructive feedback for improvement.
- Completed 16 weeks of student teaching.

## EDUCATION

JAN 2021 - MAY 2025

### BFA in Art Education , Metropolitan State University of Denver, Denver, Colorado

3.8 GPA

## SKILLS

- Curriculum Development
- Classroom Management
- Differentiation
- Cross-Curricular Integration
- Art History and Theory
- Lesson Planning
- Critique Facilitation
- Project Managment
- Collaboration
- Adaptability
- Creative Problem-Solving
- Organization
- Diverse Artistic and Technical Skills
- Research Skills