

# LEIGH JONES

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## OBJECTIVE

To education children at the primary/junior level.

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## HIGHLIGHTS OF QUALIFICATIONS

- Ontario College of Teachers Certificate of Qualifications – Pending
- Completed a variety of additional qualifications such as special education (part 1)
- Able to speak, read and write in English and French
- Possess special interest in intramural extra-curricular activities
- Familiar with software commonly found in school such as Microsoft Office

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## EDUCATION

**Bachelor of Education (Primary/Junior)**  
Lakehead University

2010 – 2011  
Thunder Bay ON

**Honours Bachelor of Arts – Sociology**  
Laurentian University

2006 – 2010  
Sudbury ON

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## CLASSROOM EXPERIENCE

**Third Grade Teacher Candidate**  
Ecole Gron Morgan Public School

Mar. 2011 – Apr. 2011  
Thunder Bay ON

- Planned and delivered math, language and social studies lessons to 20 grade 3 students
- Adjusted lesson plans to respond to the needs of diverse learning styles
- Enhanced the “Heritage” unit by introducing the use of online genealogy resources
- Implemented a reading “show and tell” program for students to present their favourite books
- Organized and created learning stations and bulletin boards

**Literacy Coach**  
Ecole Gron Morgan Public School

Sep. 2010 – Mar. 2011  
Thunder Bay ON

- Collaborated with teachers to develop students’ language abilities
- Facilitated student reading and writing activities
- Recorded students’ reading and writing progress

**Second Grade Teacher Candidate**  
Crestview Public School

Nov. 2010 – Dec. 2010  
Thunder Bay ON

- Successfully managed a classroom of 15 grade 2 students
- Led grade 2 math, language and social studies lessons with the supervision of the teacher
- Assisted in the preparation and presentation of the grade 2 holiday play
- Gained strong working knowledge of all aspects of the second grade Ontario Curriculum
- Incorporated cross-curricular components into lessons and units

**TEACHING RELATED EXPERIENCE**

<b>Tutor</b> Sylvan Learning Centre	Aug. 2010 – Present Thunder Bay ON
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provided one-on-one French and English tutoring to elementary school students</li> </ul>	
<b>Camp Counsellor</b> Northern Kid's Adventures	Summer 2010 Sudbury, ON
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Facilitated daily outdoor recreation activities for 8 to 12 year old children</li> <li>• Ensured the safety of the children on hiking and swimming trips</li> </ul>	

**OTHER EXPERIENCE**

<b>Bartender</b> Moxie's Classic Grill	Sep. 2009 – Present Thunder Bay, ON
<b>Server</b> Montana's Restaurant	Jun. 2006 – Jul. 2010 Sudbury, ON

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

<b>Student Ambassador</b> Lakehead University Student Union	Sep. 2010 – Present Thunder Bay, ON
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Led university tours for new and prospective students</li> </ul>	
<b>Hiking Leader</b> Northern Ontario Hiker's Association	Jun. 2006 – Jul. 2010 Sudbury, ON
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Planned and led hiking trips for individuals from various backgrounds</li> <li>• Adapted hiking activities for individuals with varying levels of ability</li> </ul>	

**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

Reading Specialist	2011
Special Education (Part 1)	2010
Literacy in Ontario Conference	2010

**ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING**

Standard First Aid and CPR Level C	2010
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**AWARDS**

Frank O'Neill Memorial Scholarship	2010
Queen Elizabeth II Aiming for Top Scholarship	2005

**INTERESTS**

Reading, writing, hiking, healthy living

**REFERENCES ATTACHED AND PORTFOLIO AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST**