

Elizabeth Lemay

Middle School General Science Practicum at Chocksett Middle School

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Abstract: I completed my semester-long teaching practicum at Chocksett Middle school in Sterling, MA. I was placed under the advisement of Kristie McGuire in 7th Grade Science. This experience was a fantastic opportunity for me to build on my skills as an educator and prepare me for becoming a licensed middle school general science teacher in the state of Massachusetts. Throughout my experience I worked on the 7 essential elements of CAP: Subject Matter Knowledge, Structured Units and Lessons, Adjustments to Practice, Meeting Diverse Needs, Safe Learning Environment, High Expectations, and Reflective Practice. As an educator, I believe that it is important to strengthen and protect students' social and emotional well-being through specific experiences and relationships formed in my classroom. More of me and specifics of my practicum experience can be found on my Eportfolio by scanning the QR code below.

