

# CHANDLER BROWN

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## OBJECTIVES

- My classroom experiences and time spent in educational research have inspired me to pursue a career focused on the social and emotional wellbeing of secondary students & fostering meaningful relationships with my students.
  - My background involves utilizing and implementing place-based education and competency based grading.
  - I believe shaping a curriculum based around specific student needs will cultivate students into well-informed global citizens.
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## EDUCATION, HONORS, & AWARDS

*B.A., English, December 2018, Adrian College,*  
2014-2018

- Major: English-T ED; Minor: Health Education
  - President & Head of Public Relations, Phi Epsilon Kappa, Health & Physical Education Honor Society
  - Sigma Tau Delta, English Honor Society
  - Shape America Major of the Year Award
  - New Member Educator, Director of Watchcare, Marshall, Alpha Phi Fraternity
  - Dean's List
  - Shape America National Conference in Nashville, TN
  - Shape Michigan Regional Conference in Mackinac, MI
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## WORKING EXPERIENCE

**PROJECT MANAGER, University of Michigan, School of Education,**  
**GRIP Lab, September 2019-Present**

- Plan & facilitate professional development events for secondary teachers, both in person and virtually
- Manage statewide & nationwide educational research projects
- Hire undergraduate employees, manage their research, workflows, and ethics compliances
- Satisfy theoretical & scientific objectives
- Employ methodology & create techniques for conducting educational research

**RESEARCH ASSISTANT, University of Michigan, School of**  
**Education,**

**GRIP Lab, May 2019-Present**

- Research focused on Place-Based Education & dissemination of findings to the larger community
  - Track teacher decisions and pedagogy through low inference data coding and analysis
  - Analyze, manage, & organize educational data
  - Segment & index video data based on teacher decision making & transitioning
  - Prepare briefs, reports, and presentations based on found data for superiors
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## EDUCATION EXPERIENCE

**STUDY ABROAD PROGRAM, Scandenevia,**  
*Spring 2019*

- Accompanied the Adrian College School of Education to visit local schools, attend educational workshops, and visit libraries & museums for the purpose of studying the education system for 15 days in Finland, Sweden, and Norway.

**SUBSTITUTE TEACHER, EDUStaff,**  
*Winter 2018-Present*

- Novi High School long term Health substitute & English as a Second Language Health Course
- Substituted in English, Health, Technology, Chemistry, Resource Rooms, etc, throughout districts such as Lenawee, Washtenaw, and Wayne County, Michigan

**ASSOCIATE TEACHING, Tecumseh High School,**  
*Fall 2018*

- Created cross-curricular lesson plans focused around Competency-Based grading
- Launched interdisciplinary unit plans for the Freshman Team using Project-Based Learning (PBL)
- Facilitated conferences and curriculum nights with parents of students
- Accommodated instruction in accordance with IEPs
- Worked as a part of the ninth grade team instructing English and Health classes
- Attended district provided professional development meetings
- Teacher Appreciation Day Honoree

**CLINICAL HOURS, Over 200 hours, Michigan Schools,**

2018-2019

- Worked all 4 years of college as a Circulation Clerk & Tutor in the Shipman Library, Adrian College, Adrian, Michigan
- 20 hours running a Writing Club at Adrian Middle School, Adrian, Michigan: Planned & facilitated an after school writing program, focusing on creative writing, poetry, grammar & punctuation
- 5 hours in a 9th-grade health classroom, Tecumseh High School, Tecumseh, Michigan: Instructed three classes on alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs. Specific lesson plan on tobacco use and vape products
- 30 hours in a 7th & 8th grade English and honors English classrooms, Onsted Middle School, Onsted, Michigan: Observed and assisted the teacher in instruction
- 30 hours in 9th grade English and honors English classrooms, Tecumseh High School, Tecumseh, Michigan
- 30 hours volunteered at the Boys and Girls Club of Adrian, Michigan: Graded assignments, worked with students in small groups
- 30 hours in a 7th & 8th grade Spanish and English classrooms, Adrian Middle School, Adrian, Michigan: Observed students with exceptionalities in the classroom, sat in on IEPs.
- Work Study in Alexander Pre School, Adrian Michigan: Worked as a teacher's assistant, and instructed mini-lessons with small groups of students
- 30 hours in a 7th & 8th grade English classrooms, Sand Creek Middle School, Sand Creek, Michigan: Graded assignments, tutored students in reading and writing

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**CERTIFICATIONS**

- Standard Teaching Certificate, Secondary, State of Michigan
- Adult CPR/AED, American Red Cross
- HIV/AIDs Health Training, Lenawee ISD
- Human Subjects Research Protections, University of Michigan PEERS

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**VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

- Penrickton Center for Blind Children, Taylor, Michigan
- Catherine Cobb Safe House, Adrian, Michigan
- Capuchin Soup Kitchen, Detroit, Michigan

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**REFERENCES**

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