**Professional Growth Plan Fall 2016**

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**Goal 1 (Classroom Management):** I would like to effectively implement classroom management strategies that keep myself and the students focused and organized. Specifically I would like to:

* Establish firmer routines when it comes to beginning of class procedures, handing out and handing in assignments, and repeatable classroom activities (think, pair, share, stand-up pair up)
* Follow through with both rewards and consequences
* Improve on my ability to monitor the whole class for on task behavior
* Maintain a consistent method to gain student attention

**When will it be completed?**

End of practicum term (Dec 23).

**How will it be completed?**

In my classroom management plan I have outlined expectations for behavior and routines within the classroom. These are methods that I will use upon entering the classroom in September and they will be modified as needed.

I will know it is working because:

* The classroom appears to be operating smoothly (I feel good about the classroom operations.)
* Feedback from UC and teaching mentor

**Goal 2 (PIP Goal):** To establish a fine arts club within the school that will meet the interests of the students and improve the artistic community of the school.

**When will it be completed?**

* Survey of students: End of September
* End of October: Established club

**How will it be completed?**

Within the first month I will talk to students and survey their interests to determine what they would like to see in an arts club at the school. By October, I would like to establish a noon or after school club that meets the interest areas that they expressed.

**Goal 3 (Personal Goal):** In my last practicum I really struggled with arranging time for myself within the week. I would like to make it a goal to be physically active at least three times during the week for 45 min each. I find this helps relieve my stress and helps me sleep better.

**When will it be completed?**

Throughout the term on a weekly basis.

**How will it be completed?**

Once a week I would like to run/walk, the other two times will be weather dependent. I usually go rollerblading or walking. Plus I can use my fancy new yoga matt!