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Example Resumes: First-Time Resume

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Education

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, College of Liberal Arts & Sciences

Expected Graduation: May 2027

GPA: 3.25 / 4:00

Springfield High School, Springfield, IL

Graduated: May 2023 GPA: 3.62 / 4.00

Work Experience

Sept 2023 - Present

University of Illinois Housing, Dining Hall Staff, Champaign, IL

- Maintain a clean and organized environment according to food safety regulations
- · Work with a team to prepares and serve food to more than 500 students each shift
- Communicate with management regarding supply needs

Jun 2023 - Aug 2023

YMCA, Summer Camp Counselor, Springfield, IL

- Led and supervised a group of 15 campers aged 5-7, ensuring their safety
- Encouraged personal growth and development by planning diverse activities
- Maintained parent/guardian communication regarding camper experiences and expectations
- Communicated and enforced rules for campers in order to encourage positive behavior and to responsibly handle camper behavioral issues

Jun 2022 - Aug 2023

Wag n' Walk, Independent Dog Walker, Springfield, IL

- Met daily exercise needs of various dog breeds during 30+ minute walks
- Collaborated with four owners on the best-suited exercise plan for their dog
- Introduced enrichment activities for dogs' mental stimulation

Activities

Aug 2020- May 2023

Science Olympiad, Team Member, Springfield, IL

- Facilitated team discussions during practices
- Contributed to the team's success in regional competitions
- · Encouraged critical thinking and teamwork during practices and competition
- Compiled notes from weekly practices and competitions to share with teammates

Aug 2019 - May 2023

High School Volleyball, Team Member & Captain, Springfield, IL

- · Contributed as an active and engaged team member throughout high school
- · Elected as Team Captain during Senior Year
- Created dynamic warm up routines and drills for team enrichment
- Collaborated with coaches to motivate team members and create seasonal performance plans

Skills

Language Technology English (Native), Spanish (Intermediate)

Word (Advanced), PowerPoint (Advanced), Excel (Intermediate), Canva (Basic)

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A wide variety of experiences can be included: clubs, student organizations, independent projects, summer activities, volunteer experiences, and more!

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