

# Education Elevator Pitch

The Elevator Pitch is an advertisement of yourself. Be sure to keep it career-related and avoid personal information (where you were born, what your parents do for a living, how many siblings you have, etc.). Use this strategy to answer the interview question “tell me about yourself”, or while networking.

## **PRESENT**

- Where are you now? (Education: school, location, grad date, degree, majors/minors, concentration, teaching certification, etc.)

## **PAST**

- Where have you been? (Experience: Student teaching, career-related activities, additional work experience, volunteer experience, activities, study/teaching abroad, leadership etc.)

## **FUTURE**

- Where are you going? How do your strengths/skills benefit their school? (Career Objective/Future Goals)

### ***EXAMPLE:***

- Senior at St. Norbert College, De Pere, WI, majoring in Elementary Education, minor in Early Childhood Education, certification in Early Childhood/Middle Childhood
- Student teaching at Westwood Elementary School, international student teaching in Ireland, Assistant Teacher at SNC Children’s Center, 2 year captain of SNC Varsity Track and Field
- Seeking 3rd grade teaching position at Heritage Elementary School, interest in coaching athletics