Volunteering, observing, and working has only cemented my passion and drive to become an educator. I've been working with Burlington School Districts for over a year now and every classroom I substitute teach for just further encourages my drive to become an educator. Interacting with young adults in an instructional position while filling in for a diverse group of teachers I'm reminded again and again of just how important educators are to the youths they teach. The feeling of having students walk into a classroom and being excited to have me as a substitute is a feeling I cannot describe. Just being in the classroom and being able to educate others on what I have learned throughout my life is a joy. Having a degree in history, I am immensely interested in the stories of others as we all have our own personal history unique to every individual. My time in the classroom has allowed me to listen and learn while interacting with students during their lesson plans. I always see myself as a student as I always have something more to learn and the more, I work with young adults trying to find out what inspires them is immensely gratifying for me. I wouldn't want to be in any other career, as teaching allows me to learn with my students, while lecturing and interacting with a diverse group of people.