

FACULTY OF EDUCATION

Educational Computing Personal Profile

Instructions: Complete the following profile with your information:

1. Name: Jennifer Goldik

2. Digital "Mug Shot":



3. Hometown: London, ON

4. Interests / Hobbies:

- computers (I'm not sucking up, it's true)
- puppies
- outdoors / sports

5. Computer Technology

a. Strengths

- Programming
- Web design
- Graphic design
- Hardware support
- Networks
- Training
- Different OS's

b. Areas to Improve

- Software that I am unfamiliar with (for example, I am good with Microsoft Word, but not very proficient with Appleworks)

6. Undergraduate Degree (e.g., University, Major, Favourite Memory):

Nipissing University, BBA TM (Technology Management), graduation day, being the only person in our graduating class to get a hug from Dave Marshall as I crossed the stage.

7. Elementary School "Proudest Moment" (include rationale):
Rolph Street Public School in Tillsonburg (my back still aches) coming back to the school as a high school student and teaching computers at the school.

8. Teacher that made the most significant impact / impression on you as a student and/or person (include rationale):
My mother. She is a teacher, and did teach me back in public school. I have always been around her and her classrooms, and I'm sure that had some impact on me wanting to be a teacher.

9. Motivation to become a teacher:
I have been teaching my whole life in some form or another, so it was just natural.

10. Personal outlook on how you view yourself "integrating" computer technology into the classroom during your upcoming teaching placements
I want to teach effective use of computers. I will use them a lot, but only when it is effective to do so. My goal is to do something memorable that improves computer use on a wide scale.